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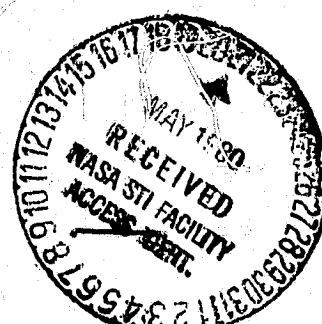
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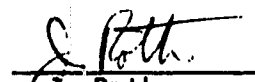
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## ABSTRACT

The compatibility of 6AL-4V Ti with propellant-grade  $\text{GF}_2$  and  $\text{LF}_2$  at 77 K for up to 3 years was investigated. Ti double coupons, annealed or heat treated, with 16 or 64 RMS finishes, were immersed in  $\text{F}_2$  in individual Pyrex capsules and stored under  $\text{LN}_2$  for 29 and 39 months. Pre-and post-immersion tests were performed on the propellant and coupons. Chemical analysis of the propellant did not reveal any significant changes due to titanium corrosion. Gravimetric, visual, microscopic, and metallurgical examination with pitting analysis did not reveal gross corrosion of the titanium although pitting appears to be greater after 39 months exposure. The increase in pit size and number raises the possibility of unpredictable crack propagation instability. Fracture toughness tests are necessary to define this possibility.

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## GLOSSARY

In the context of this report, the following definitions will be applied.

Propellant

Sample: A quantity of a fluid (gas, vapor, or liquid) withdrawn from a larger quantity of the same material, and assumed to be both representative and random.

Aliquot: A sample whose quantity (volume or mass) is a known fraction of the total quantity from which it is withdrawn.

Titanium

Specimen: A double-dogbone piece of titanium alloy, as furnished by JPL

Coupon: A portion of titanium alloy cut mechanically from the double-dogbone specimen.

Tensile Coupon: A coupon of special configuration used for tensile testing.

Note that randomness of the specimens is not assured, and the coupons are definitely not random.

Procedures

Contact: } A compatibility experiment in which a specimen of  
Immersion: } titanium is exposed to  $F_2$  under controlled conditions.

Test: } A determination of a property or composition of a  
Characterization: } specimen or sample of a material which will be  
or has been immersed in  $F_2$

## 1. INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

There are many benefits to be gained from the use of liquid fluorine ( $\text{LF}_2$ ) as the oxidizer for liquid propulsion systems aboard extended duration mission space vehicles. However, the design of appropriate propulsion systems utilizing  $\text{LF}_2$  is hampered by inadequate critical information about the long term compatibility of the fluorine with materials of construction. The objective of the current program is to generate long term storage compatibility data for the titanium alloy 6AL-4V in contact with propellant grade liquid and vapor fluorine at a temperature of 77 K for 2- and 3-year periods. The program is oriented to develop data suitable for use in design of components which are in static or low-flow-rate contact with  $\text{LF}_2$ , such as tanks and some plumbing lines. The data are not applicable to highly stressed components, to components which are exposed to general or local rapid flow such as filter fibers and injectors, nor to frequently actuated dynamically loaded components such as valve seats or bellows.

The procedures utilized were developed previously for JPL Contract No. 953486, as reported in "Compatibility Testing of Spacecraft Materials and Space Storable Liquid Propellant," Final Report TRW No. 21362-6023-RU-00, May 1974.

Specimens of titanium 6AL-4V in two heat treat conditions (annealed, 147 KSI, and heat-treated, 175 KSI) and two surface finishes (16 and 64 RMS) were supplied by JPL. Selected specimens were: a) kept unexposed; b) exposed to  $\text{GF}_2$  for 1 hour (passivated); c) immersed in  $\text{LF}_2$  and  $\text{GF}_2$  for 29 months; and d) immersed in  $\text{LF}_2$  and  $\text{GF}_2$  for 39 months. Control specimens of  $\text{LF}_2$  were stored for 29 and 39 months. The fluorine was analyzed before the immersion, and both control and immersion samples were analyzed after the immersion. The metal specimens were characterized after each of the four modes. Characterization included weight change, tensile properties measurement, visual examination and corrosion mapping, microscopic examination, metallography, including pit development evaluation, and scanning electron microscopy (SEM).

There was no significant change in the composition of the fluorine in contact with titanium. However, when the gas was left to stand in contact

with 18-8 CRES at room temperature, it became contaminated with a volatile chromium fluoride and became darker in color. The contaminant was unavoidably transferred into the test capsules.

There were minor weight gains for specimens exposed in the 29- and 39-month tests. Tensile properties did not change for either vapor- or liquid immersed specimens. No significant exposure effects were found by the corrosion mapping, visual, microscopic, or SEM inspections. However, the pitting analysis revealed an accelerating attack rate which had two separate characteristics. The number of pits and their area increased markedly, with a greater increase in the 29-39 month period than in the 0-29 month period, however the depth of most of the pits remained constant, except for the 64 RMS coupons, especially those in the annealed condition, which after 39 months showed appreciable formation of deeper pits, about 5 times as deep as the average for all coupons.

There is a possibility that the increase in pitting severity with time may eventually lead to catastrophic failure of the alloy by crack instability. This failure mode is dependent on both the fracture toughness of the alloy and the applied stress.

## 2. TECHNICAL DISCUSSION

### 2.1 OBJECTIVE

The objective of this program is to generate and evaluate data on the effects from long-term contact for up to three years of titanium alloy 6AL-4V with liquid and vapor propellant-grade fluorine at a temperature of 77 K. The purpose is to supply missing critical data for the design of tankage for extended duration mission space vehicles using fluorine as oxidizer.

### 2.2 APPROACH

The approach used in this program is:

- Characterize the initial condition of the titanium alloy.
- Characterize the titanium alloy after passivation with  $\text{GF}_2$ .
- Characterize the initial condition of the fluorine.
- Contact individual specimens of the titanium with individual quantities of liquid fluorine for selected durations of up to 3 years at specified test conditions.
- Store control samples of fluorine without titanium under identical conditions for the same time intervals.
- Separate the fluorine from the titanium at the end of the contact period.
- Characterize the post-contact condition of the titanium alloy specimens.
- Characterize the post-contact condition of the fluorine.
- Characterize the control samples of fluorine.
- Characterize any new substances which were formed during the contact period.
- Calculate any changes which occurred in the titanium, the fluorine, and the test system.
- Evaluate the changes as functions of test duration and test conditions.
- Draw conclusions about the significance of the results and make appropriate recommendations relative to utilization of titanium in contact with fluorine and also for additional studies which may be necessary.

## 2.3 METHOD

### 2.3.1 Introduction

The experimental portion of the program consists of three parts:

1. Characterization of the propellant fluorine.
2. Characterization of the titanium alloy specimens.
3. Immersion of the alloy specimens in fluorine.

Characterization of the fluorine and of the titanium is done before and after the immersion. Controls are included in which the immersion tests are simulated, but without contact between the two materials.

The program is arranged in five sequential tasks:

- Task 1. Install equipment. Conduct pre-immersion characterization of specimens and propellant.
- Task 2. Initiate immersion.
- Task 3. Conduct immersion.
- Task 4. Terminate 2-year immersion. Conduct post-immersion characterization.
- Task 5. Terminate 3-year immersion. Conduct post-immersion characterization.

This report is the final technical report on the program. In it we present all the procedures, observations, results, analyses, and conclusions for the complete program. Interim technical reports which have been published during the program include:

- "Program Plan and Schedule," TRW No. 29279-6001-RU-00, 10 February, 1976.
- "Informal Progress Report, 28 January 1976 through 21 May 1976," TRW No. 29279-6002-RU-00, 21 May 1976.
- "Final Letter Report No. 2, 28 January 1976 through 27 July 1976," TRW No. 29279-6003-RU-00, 27 July 1976.
- "Final Letter Report No. 3, 27 July 1976 through 5 July 1978," TRW No. 29279-6004-RU-00, 5 July 1978.
- TRW Operating Procedure, "Removal of Fluorine and Analysis of Fluorine in Long Term Storage Tests of Titanium Specimens with Liquid Fluorine" No. YS-28T-15, 18 October 1978.

- "Final Letter Report No. 5, 6 July 1978 through 1 April 1979," TRW No. 29279-6005-RU-00, 25 April 1979.

### 2.3.2 Plan

The original plan is described in this section. The actual operations which were conducted and the procedures used are described in detail in Section 2.3.4.

#### 2.3.2.1 Materials

Titanium specimens, 36 each, in selected metallurgical and surface finish conditions, were to be furnished by JPL (see Section 2.3.3.1). Propellant grade fluorine and the apparatus items were to be procured or supplied by TRW.

#### 2.3.2.2 Pre-Immersion Characterization of 6AL-4V Titanium Alloy Specimens

All 36 specimens were to be weighed on an analytical balance, accurate to  $\pm 1 \times 10^{-4}$  g, immediately upon removal from their protective containers, and the weights recorded.

Preimmersion characterizations of the 6AL-4V titanium alloy were to be performed on eight, and mechanical tests on four, for a total of twelve specimens. The preimmersion surface condition analysis was to include stereo, light optical, and scanning electron microscope examinations. Pitting analyses by Champion's method (Reference 1) were to include the measurement of pit concentrations, sizes, and depths. Table I is a matrix of the tests which were planned. In order to minimize effects of exposure to the humid atmosphere, all operations in the surface examination were to be conducted under purge by dry argon, in a dry argon atmosphere, or in vacuum. Immediately after the examination of each specimen was completed, it was to be sealed in an inert atmosphere.

The mechanical property tests -- ultimate tensile strength, yield strength, and percent elongation -- were to be conducted using an Instron Universal Test Machine for the measurement. Because two tensile coupons are made from each double dogbone specimen, a total of 8 individual tensile tests were planned. Following the tensile tests, the coupons were to be resealed in an argon atmosphere.

Table I. 6AL-4V Titanium Specimens - Pre-immersion Characterization

Item	Number of Specimens			
	Heat Treated		Annealed	
Material condition	16 RMS	64 RMS	16 RMS	64 RMS
Specimen Surface Finish (micro inches)				
1.0 Examination and Metallurgy				
1.1 Sealed Controls (Cleaned; no passivation)	1	1	1	1
1.2 Sealed Controls (Cleaned; passivated)	1	1	1	1
2.0 Mechanical Properties Tests				
2.1 Room Temperature (298 K) (Cleaned; passivated)	1		1	
2.2 LN <sub>2</sub> Temperature (77 K) (Cleaned; passivated)	1		1	
Totals	4	2	4	2

#### 2.3.2.3 Fluorine Characterization

Prior to use, a complete assay for the fluorine was to be performed perspecification MIL-P-27405, "Fluorine Propellant, Type II, Liquid." The sample analyzed was to be drawn from the batch to be used in this program. Results of this analysis are described below, in Section 2.3.3.2.

#### 2.3.2.4 Liquid Fluorine Controls

Eight each 10 ml volumes of liquid fluorine were to be loaded into specimen capsules and stored as control samples in the Cryoflask storage unit, as summarized in Table II, together with the titanium specimen compatibility tests for the same durations.

#### 2.3.2.5 Preparation of Specimens for Storage

A total of twenty-two 6AL-4V specimens were to be placed in cleaned glass capsules and sufficient liquid fluorine added to cover the lower coupon of the double dog-bone specimens. These specimens were to be prepared ready for storage at 77 K. The assignment of specimen conditions and finishes was to be that shown in Table III.



Table II.  $LF_2$  Storage Tests at 77 K

Test Group	Storage Period, Months	Number of Capsules
A	24	4
B	36	4
		<u>4</u>
		Total 8

Table III. 6AL-4V Titanium Specimens Storage in  $LF_2$  at 77 K

Item	Test Group	Number of Specimens and Capsules			
Material condition		Heat Treated		Annealed	
Specimen Surface Finish (micro inches)		16 RMS	64 RMS	16 RMS	64 RMS
Storage Period (months)					
24	A	3	3	2	2
36	B	4	4	2	2
		<u>4</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
Totals		7	7	4	4

The assignments in Table I and III total 34 specimens. The two additional specimens supplied by JPL were to be for spares and replacements. Assignment of individual specimens to particular tests (passivation, 24-month, or 36-month) was to be arbitrary, with no requirement for randomization.

#### 2.3.2.6 Immersion Capsule Storage at 77 K

All loaded capsules were to be transferred to carrying cannisters in the Cryoflask cryogenic storage unit, and a chart to be prepared showing the location of each capsule as it was emplaced. The cryogenic storage unit was to be transferred to a barricaded storage facility with a  $LN_2$  supply. The  $LN_2$  in the storage unit was to be replenished at least 2 times

per week. Storage was to be at  $77 \pm 4$  K, at an internal pressure of  $300 \pm 160$  torr, the vapor pressure of  $F_2$  in the temperature range.

A table assigning each titanium and each fluorine control specimen to one of the 24 month or 36 month storage periods was to be prepared.

#### 2.3.2.7 Immersion Termination

At the end of 24 months for Group A and of 36 months for Group B, the capsules were to be removed from storage. It was planned to open them, remove the fluorine by evaporation, sample and analyze the fluorine from 1 capsule of each condition of the titanium specimens (4 total), and also to analyze the  $F_2$  from the control tests.

#### 2.3.2.8 Specimen Post-Immersion Testing

It was planned to weigh each specimen and to conduct visual, stereo, and magnified examinations, SEM, metallurgical analysis, pitting evaluation, and mechanical property tests on selected specimens. Tables IV and V outline the post-immersion tests for Group A and Group B respectively. These test plans were designed after the immersions had been initiated and their increased level of detail, compared to Table I, reflects the experience gained in the program.

### 2.3.3 Materials and Apparatus

#### 2.3.3.1 Titanium

Ti 6AL-4V in the form of specimens conforming to JPL Drawing 10056227, Revision C, entitled "Metallic Specimen, Double Dogbone, P/N 10056227-1" were furnished by JPL (Figure 1). All specimens have a Vee notch at one end to indicate the end for vapor exposure during immersion tests, and all are engraved with a number code at both ends of one side. The specimens were provided by JPL in a variety of surface finish and heat treat conditions, as listed in Table VI.

All specimens were cleaned by JPL in accordance with JPL Specification ES504574, Revision C, entitled, "General Cleaning Requirements for Spacecraft Propulsion Systems," and packaged to prevent recontamination. This cleaning procedure prohibits use of halogenated and fluorinated solvents, and permits only isopropyl alcohol as an organic solvent.

Table IV. Group A Post-Immersion Tests  
2 Year Immersion

10 Specimens in Immersion - 20 Coupons for Testing - 4 F<sub>2</sub> Controls

Test Function \ Specimen Type	Number of Tests				
	Heat Treated		Annealed		F <sub>2</sub> Controls
	16 RMS	64 RMS	16 RMS	64 RMS	
Weigh/Specimens	3	3	2	2	--
Examination and Mapping/ Complete Specimens	3	3	2	2	--
SEM/Coupons: Vapor	1	1	1	1	--
Liquid	1	1	1	1	--
Metallography/Coupons: Vapor	2	2	2	2	--
Liquid	2	2	2	2	--
Pitting/Coupons: Vapor	1	1	1	1	--
Liquid	1	1	1	1	--
Chemical Analysis of F <sub>2</sub> /Capsules	1	1	1	1	2
Tensile Tests/Coupons:					
Vapor, 298	2	2	1	1	--
Vapor, 77	1	--	1	--	--
Liquid, 298	2	2	1	1	--
Liquid, 77	1	--	1	--	--

Table V. Group B Post-Immersion Tests  
3 Year Immersion

11 Specimens in Immersion - 22 Coupons for Testing - 4 F<sub>2</sub> Controls

Test Function \ Specimen Type	Number of Tests				
	Heat Treated		Annealed		F <sub>2</sub> Controls
	16 RMS	64 RMS	16 RMS	64 RMS	
Weigh/Specimens	3	4	2	2	--
Examination and Mapping/ Complete Specimens	3	4	2	2	--
SEM/Coupons: Vapor	1	1	1	1	--
Liquid	1	1	1	1	--
Metallography/Coupons: Vapor	2	2	2	2	--
Liquid	2	2	2	2	--
Pitting/Coupons: Vapor	1	1	1	1	--
Liquid	1	1	1	1	--
Chemical Analysis of F <sub>2</sub> /Capsules	1	1	1	1	4
Tensile Tests/Coupons:					
Vapor, 298	2	3	2	2	--
Vapor, 77	1	1	--	--	--
Liquid, 298	2	3	2	2	--
Liquid, 77	1	1	--	--	--

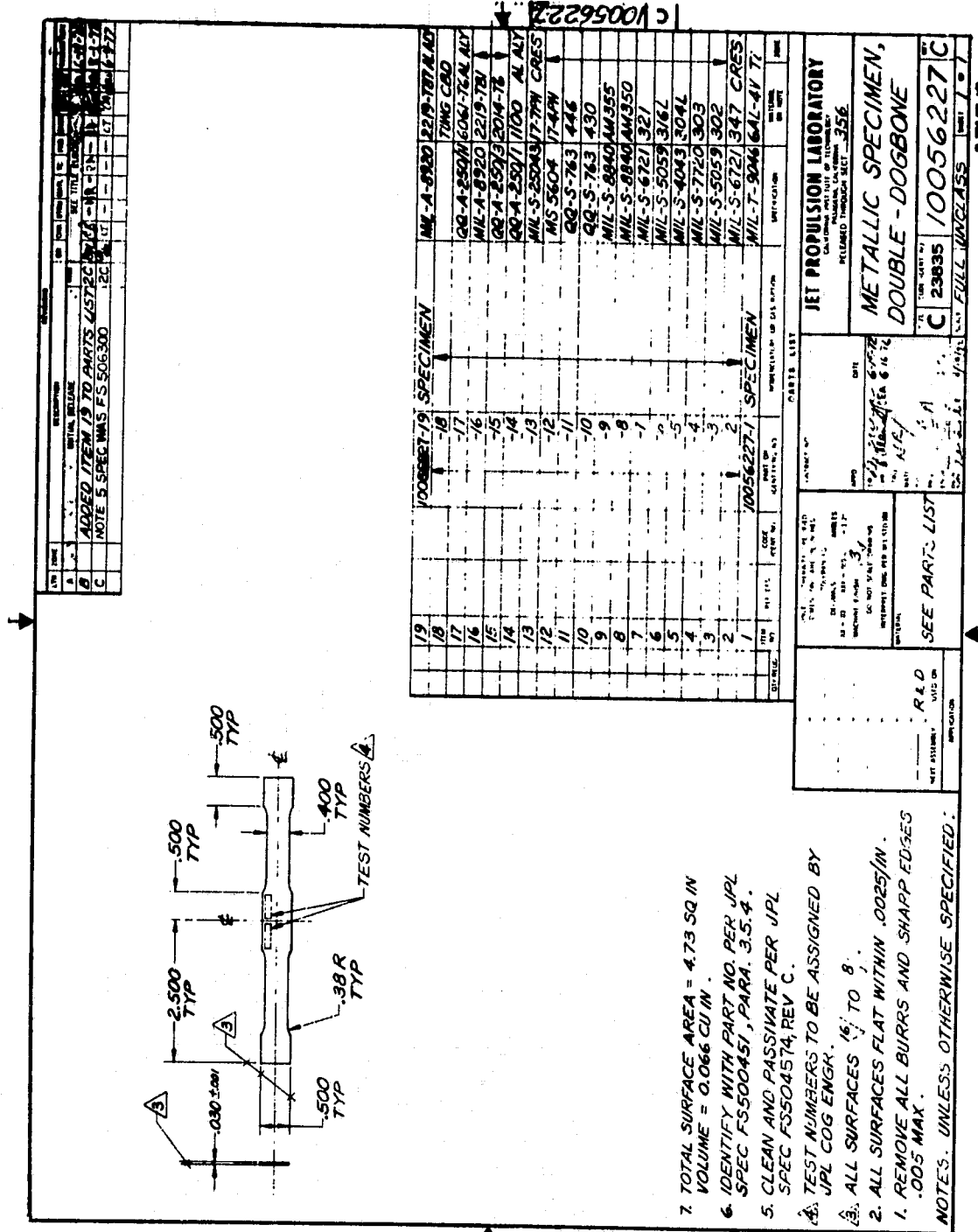


Figure 1. Metallic Specimen, Double Dogbone

Table VI. Titanium Specimen Condition Distribution

Heat Treat Condition and UTS  Surface Finish, $\mu$ in.	Specimen Categories			
	Heat Treated 175 KSI		Annealed 147 KSI	
	Quantity	Code Nos.	Quantity	Code Nos.
16 RMS	12	7500-11	8	7550-57
64 RMS	10	7520-29	6	7570-75

Documentation of the alloy used in fabrication of the specimens is given in Appendix A. Specifications for preparing the particular heat treat conditions and surface finishes, and for tests to establish that the conditions and finishes conform to specification are given in Appendix B.

#### 2.3.3.2 Fluorine

Gas fluorine was obtained in a size A cylinder from Air Products, purchased per Specification MIL-P-27405, Fluorine Propellant. It was used "as received", and was NOT passed through a NaF tower. Portions of the material were withdrawn from the cylinder into an evacuated transfer system. Portions as required were analyzed according to the procedure for "Type II, Liquid" in the above specification. An additional portion of the fluorine was introduced, by means of the vacuum transfer system, into an evacuated 10-cm infrared spectrometer cell equipped with silver chloride windows. The fluorine pressure in the cell was 760 torr. A spectrum was run between  $850\text{ cm}^{-1}$  and  $4000\text{ cm}^{-1}$  and the absorbancies at  $1280\text{ cm}^{-1}$  for carbon tetrafluoride and at  $1050\text{ cm}^{-1}$  for silicon tetrafluoride were compared with standard curves for these to compound to determine the concentrations. The results are presented in Table VII. Because the propellant composition affected operations for transferring  $\text{F}_2$ , it is discussed in the following paragraphs instead of in the Program Results Section.

Unidentified non-condensable species make up at least 0.1% v/v. Such species may include oxygen, nitrogen, helium, and/or carbon tetrafluoride. Table VIII shows the volatility of a number of possible impurities in the fluorine, in terms of individual boiling points.

Non-condensables can cause problems during vacuum transfer operations at cryogenic temperatures. Helium is particularly bothersome during low pressure cryopumped transfer from a liquid supply at 77 K to a receiver at 4.3 K. The helium does not condense at the low pressure inside the

Table VII. Analysis of Starting Fluorine

Constituent	Specification Limit	Analysis Results
Fluorine Assy, % v/v	99.0 (min)	99.21
Sum of Hydrogen Fluoride + Carbon Dioxide, % v/v	0.1 (max)	0.04
Non-Condensables, % v/v	0.9 (max)	0.28
Carbon Tetrafluoride, % v/v	NR*	<0.1
Silicon Tetrafluoride, % v/v	NR*	<0.1

\*NR - Not required

Concentration % v/v, refers to the vapor phase composition when all materials have volatilized without fractionation. It is equal to % mol/mol.

Table VIII. Boiling Points of Possible Impurities in Fluorine

Species	B.P. (K)
He	4.3
N <sub>2</sub>	77
CO	82
.....	.....
F <sub>2</sub>	85
.....	.....
O <sub>2</sub>	90
OF <sub>2</sub>	128
CF <sub>4</sub>	145
SiF <sub>4</sub>	178 (sublimes)
CO <sub>2</sub>	195 (sublimes)
HF	299

manifold and its vapor causes development of a back-pressure in the receiver, slowing and ultimately preventing transfer of fluorine. The observed behavior of the fluorine during transfers for this program indicated that helium was present as a significant portion of the non-condensable fraction, but that it was not the only such material present. To prevent the back pressure problem, it was necessary to subject the liquid fluorine to a dynamic vacuum prior to and periodically during its transfer into the test capsules. This obviously changed the composition of the fluorine in which the titanium was immersed.

#### 2.3.3.3 Apparatus

The apparatus used for installing and conducting the immersion tests will be described as three items. These are the compatibility capsule, the fluorine transfer manifolds, and the cryogenic storage facility.

##### a) Compatibility Capsule

The capsules were manufactured by TRW from borosilicate glass tubing. Their design is sketched in Figure 2. The capsules were fabricated in two sections for later sealing at the fusion joint. Annealing of both sections was accomplished by heating in a furnace at 833 K and holding at this temperature for 0.25 hour. The heating rate was not considered critical, and the cooling to ambient was at the normal cooling rate of the furnace. After the capsules were manufactured and annealed, they were cleaned, in a clean room, in an ultrasonic bath with an Alconox solution, washed with deionized water and dried in a vacuum oven at 383 K, and packaged to prevent recontamination.

The two sections were joined after a titanium specimen was placed in the lower section, using a portable hydrogen-oxygen torch, with a purge flow of argon through the capsule to protect the specimen. This process is described in Section 2.3.4.1(a).

##### b) Fluorine Transfer Manifolds

The manifold used for filling the capsules with fluorine is sketched in Figure 3. This manifold was used for passivation of specimens with gas fluorine, and to load liquid fluorine into capsules, both liquid fluorine controls and those containing specimens.

A fluorine cylinder was connected directly to the manifold with 6 meters of 0.6 cm O.D. copper tubing. The manifold was constructed of 0.6 cm O.D. stainless steel tubing and the attached valves were Hoke No. 4251N6Y fabricated from stainless steel. Swagelok and AN flare connections were used. Copper tubing was

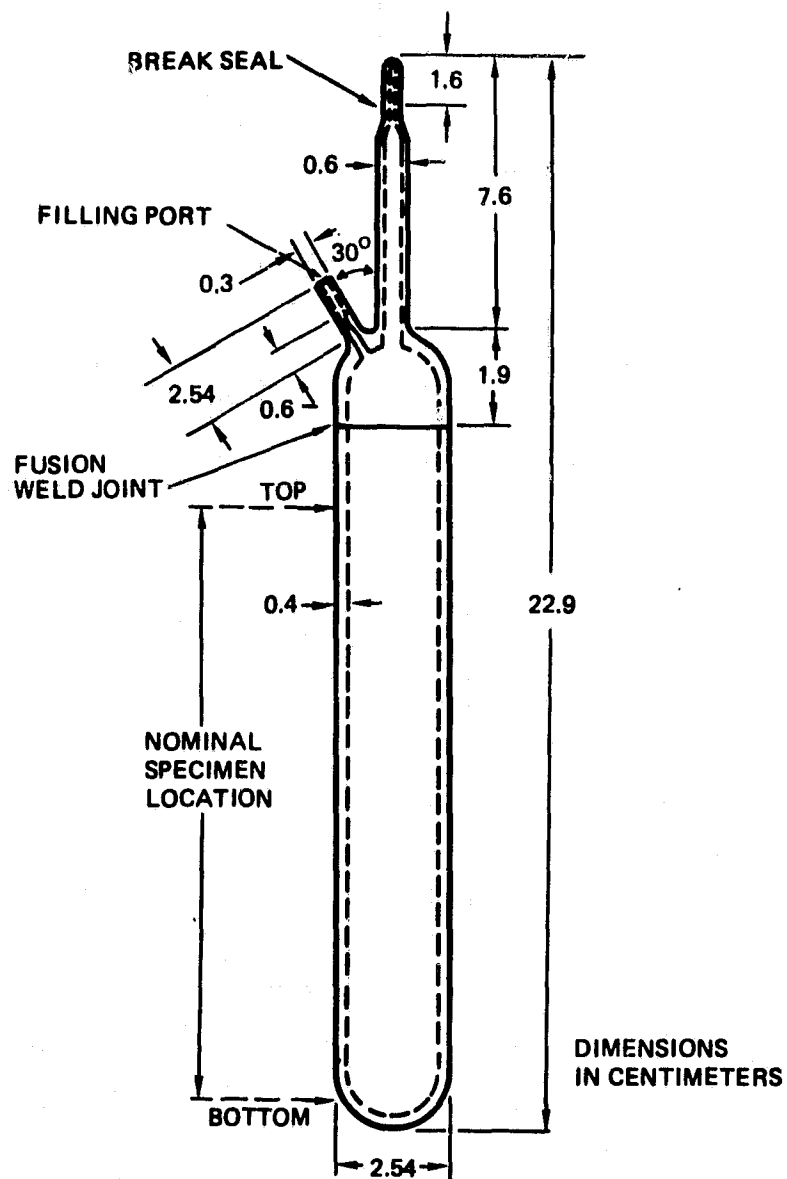


Figure 2. Compatibility Capsule



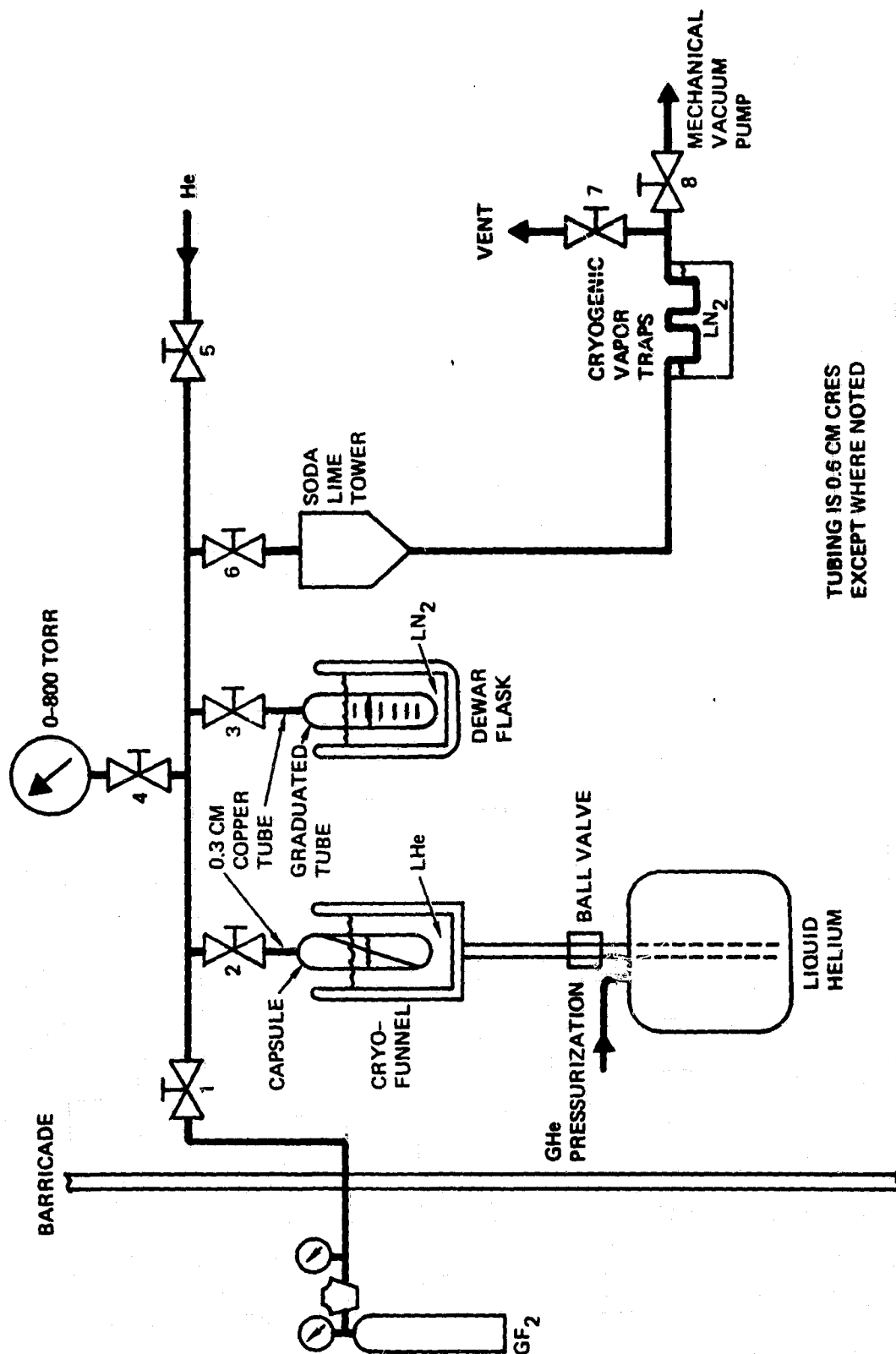


Figure 3. Fluorine Supply Manifold

used to connect the manifold to the glass capsule and to the graduated glass volume tube; the copper lines were attached to the capsule and the volume tube by means of Swagelok fittings with Teflon ferrules. Liquid helium was maintained around the sample capsule by use of a Cryofunnel. The Cryofunnel was simply a jacketed tube, 5 cm I.D. and 25 cm long. This jacketed tube was connected to a 1.25 cm O.D. stainless steel tube which was inserted into a liquid helium storage flask Dewar through a 1.25 cm ball valve. Below the ball valve was a 0.3 cm O.D. valved line for pressurizing the storage flask with 2-6 psig helium. To raise liquid helium into the Cryofunnel, the storage flask was pressurized and the pressure maintained until the liquid helium rose to the desired level. After the operations with the capsule were completed, the liquid helium was returned by placing a cover on the Cryofunnel, and the vapor pressure of helium forced the liquid to return to the storage Dewar.

Copper tubes, 0.6 to 1-meter long and 0.3 cm O.D., were attached at one end to Valves 2 and 3. The tube at Valve 3 was attached at the other end to a heavy walled graduated glass tube, and the tube at Valve 2 was attached to the fill port of a capsule. To remove absorbed gases and moisture from the samples and inside capsule walls, Valves 2 and 3 were opened and the manifold was evacuated, and the entire system held at a pressure below 0.1 torr for one hour while being pumped. Liquid nitrogen was maintained around the cryogenic vapor traps upstream of the vacuum pump. Before filling the capsule with liquid fluorine or for preparation of passivated-only specimens, the capsules and contents were passivated with fluorine by introducing one atmosphere of fluorine and permitting it to remain for one hour. The capsules were then evacuated to less than 0.1 torr and held under this condition for one hour, before proceeding to the appropriate subsequent step in the procedure.

The manifold used for removal of fluorine after completion of the immersion test is sketched in Figure 4. This is actually just a segment of a larger, multipurpose fluorine manifold. The capsule to be emptied is attached to the ball valve seal breaker by use of a Swagelok fitting with Teflon ferrules. The system is passivated carefully prior to attachment of a capsule to be emptied of fluorine.

#### c) Cryogenic Storage Facility

A Cryo-flask was used for the storage of the specimens and liquid fluorine. The Cryo-flask, manufactured by Minnesota Valley Engineering Company, has the configuration shown in Figure 5. This device is thermally efficient; after filling with LN<sub>2</sub> it will contain 25 percent of the initial fill after four weeks storage with no topping off. It was filled with liquid nitrogen and then cannisters containing up to four capsules each were placed in the Cryo-flask. Twice each week the Cryo-flask was replenished with liquid nitrogen. The capsules remained in storage until removed according to the schedule.

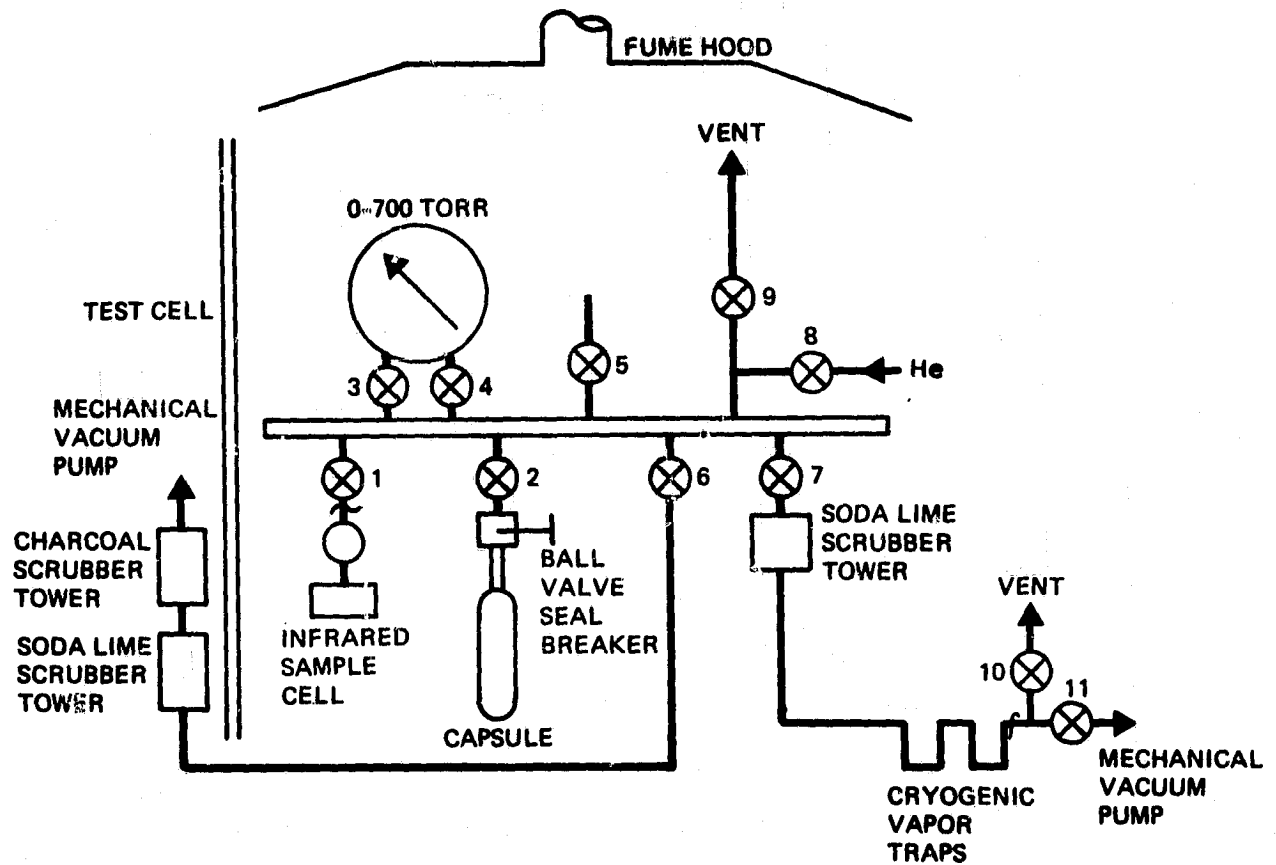


Figure 4. Fluorine Removal and Analysis Manifold

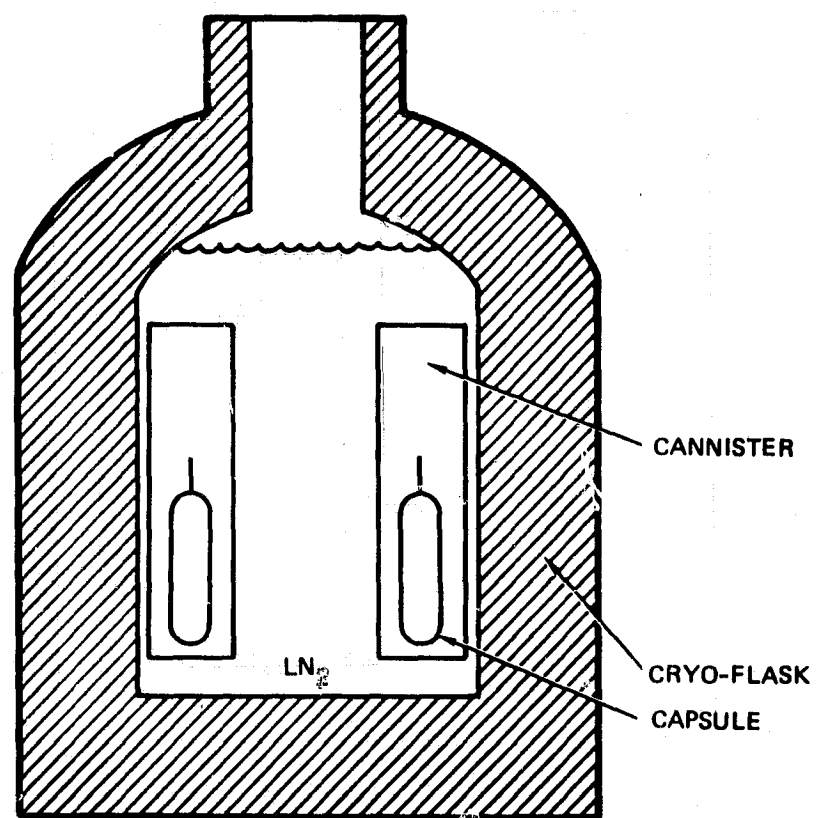


Figure 5. Cryoflask with Specimen Capsules in Cannisters

The apparatus used in characterizing the titanium specimens included the following:

The tensile tests were conducted on an Instron Model TTCLM1-6 Universal Testing Machine. The strain rate was 0.50 inch/minute, and a 0.2% offset was used to determine the yield strength.

All pit dimensions were measured on a Reichert Research Metallograph.

SEM photographs were obtained using a JOEL Model JSM-2 scanning electron microscope.

#### 2.3.4 Procedures

The actual operations carried out and identification of the specific test items utilized are described in this section. Attention is drawn to significant variances from the original plan. A chart showing the history of each specimen throughout the program is presented as Table IX. Table IX.

The most significant changes from the plan described in Section 2.3.2 are

- 29 month immersion for Group A - the extension, agreed to by the JPL Technical Manager, occurred as a result of some high priority technical problems on other programs.
- 39 month immersion for Group B
- Only 3 specimens of heat treated 16 RMS titanium in 36 months immersion.
- Post-immersion characterizations were done on many more specimens than originally planned.

Results are not given in this section except where the observations required a change in procedure, then summary data is presented to explain the change. Detailed results will be found in Section 2.3.5.

##### 2.3.4.1 Fluorine Transfer Operations

###### (a) Passivation/Immersion Initiation

All specimens except 7508 and 7511 were sealed into capsules by the following technique. The work was conducted in a clean area to reduce introduction of contamination:

- (i) The bottom half of a capsule was attached to a vertical support with a clamp. The top half of a capsule was attached by flexible tubing at the capsule fill port to a source of filtered argon for

Table IX. Specimen History Matrix

Specimen Identification	As Received State			Conditioning	Weight No. 1	Pre-Immersion Characterization				Immersion Test		Post-Immersion Characterization				
	Annealed					Tensile	Examination	Metallo-	Pit-	Duration	Tensile	Examination	Metallo-	Pit-		
	Heat Treated	64 RMS	16 RMS												298 K	77 K
LF <sub>2</sub> Control #1																
LF <sub>2</sub> Control #2																
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Note 1: Capsule broke during test initiation.

Note 2: Spare specimen, not tested.

Note 3: Coupon failed in grip region, no data.

T = Top coupon from specimen; vapor phase exposure.  
B = Bottom coupon from specimen; liquid phase exposure.

purging. The operator wore white, lint-free nylon gloves and used forceps with Teflon-coated tips to place a specimen in the bottom half of the capsule. Then into each capsule with a specimen for liquid immersion, (thus omitting 7500-3, 7520-1, 7529, 7550-3, and 7570-1) were inserted two firepolished borosilicate glass rods, 0.7 cm diameter by 6.4 cm long. The glass rods, used to minimize the volume of liquid required, were placed one on each side of the specimen. The top half of the capsule, with a slow flow of purge argon flowing, was placed on the bottom half, and the two sections were fused together using hydrogen-oxygen portable glass blowing torch. The break-seal portion of the capsule was then formed. The argon flow was continued until the glass had cooled. In addition to the capsules which contained titanium specimens, eight empty capsules were fabricated for  $\text{LF}_2$  controls. All completed capsules were inspected after cooling, using a polariscope to detect strains in the glass: None were found. The capsules were then enclosed and sealed in individual clean plastic bags before removal from the clean area and transport to the propellant laboratory.

Passivation of all capsules, except those containing specimens 7500, 7520, 7529, 7550, and 7570, was carried out as follows:

- (ii) The filling manifold described in Section 2.3.2.3(b) and shown in Figure 3 was used. A capsule was attached to the manifold by copper tubing at the fill port. The system was evacuated to a pressure below 0.1 torr and held at that pressure for one hour. The vacuum pump was then valved off, and gas fluorine was admitted to the system to a pressure of one atmosphere, and allowed to stand for one hour. The fluorine was then evacuated from the system through the absorption tower, and the pressure reduced below 0.1 torr by a dynamic vacuum for at least one hour.

Non passivated control specimens 7500, 7520, 7550, and 7570, and spare specimen 7529 were handled as follows:

- (iii) The same procedure as in (ii) was followed except that the capsules were pressurized for one hour with one atmosphere of helium in place of fluorine.

Capsules which were to be filled with liquid fluorine were not sealed off at this step -- further processing of these items is described at (v)

- (iv) The passivation-only and unpassivated control capsules were then filled with GHe at one atmosphere and the fill port was fused closed while the capsule was still attached to the manifold; a hydrogen-oxygen portable torch was used.

For those capsules to be loaded with  $\text{LF}_2$ , 10 ml (15.5 g) of  $\text{LF}_2$  at 77 K accurately locates the vapor-liquid interface midway between the two dogbone sections. The additional procedures are:

- (v) The manifold was again evacuated.  $\text{LN}_2$  was placed in the Dewar around the graduated glass tube, and gas fluorine was slowly introduced through Valve 1 to the manifold. When 10 ml of fluorine had condensed into the graduated glass tube, the fluorine supply was shut off at Valve 1. Liquid helium was introduced to the Cryofunnel (See Section 2.3.3.3(b)), and Valve 2 was opened and all the fluorine distilled from the graduated tube into the capsule where it froze. Figure 6 is a schematic of a loaded capsule.

Condensable gases with a slight vapor pressure and non-condensable gases were present in fluorine in sufficient quantities to cause problems when fluorine condensed at 77 K was cryopumped to a capsule at 4.3 K. Table VIII is a list of the boiling points of some likely impurities. Impurities more volatile than  $\text{F}_2$  were removed by brief vacuum pumping on the liquid fluorine prior to transfer and at three intervals during transfer when the back pressure became high enough to stop the transfer. This treatment probably did not change the corrosive nature of fluorine.

- (vi) When all the fluorine was transferred from the graduated tube to the capsule, the capsule fill port was sealed with a hydrogen-oxygen torch. Then the capsule was disconnected from the manifold, remove from the liquid helium and placed in liquid nitrogen for storage.

Because the graduated tube was maintained at 77 K throughout the transfer process, little or no  $\text{CF}_4$ ,  $\text{SiF}_4$ ,  $\text{CO}_2$ , or  $\text{HF}$ , whose vapor pressures are below 1 torr at 77 K, were transferred into the capsule. This purification might reduce the corrosiveness of the fluorine.

When charging the capsules, the fluorine control samples were charged first (14-16 June, 1976) and then the specimen capsules were charged in numerical order (17-25 June, 1976). On the average, three capsules were charged per day. It was observed that the first three fluorine control samples were darker in color than the remaining fluorine samples. After specimen 7525 was charged, the capsule loading was stopped for a day while the  $\text{GF}_2$  was still pressurized in the manifold up to Valves 2 and 3. Upon resumption, after about 40 hours, when fluorine was condensed in the capsule containing specimen 7526, darker colored fluorine was again observed. Because of these observations the test plan was changed to add



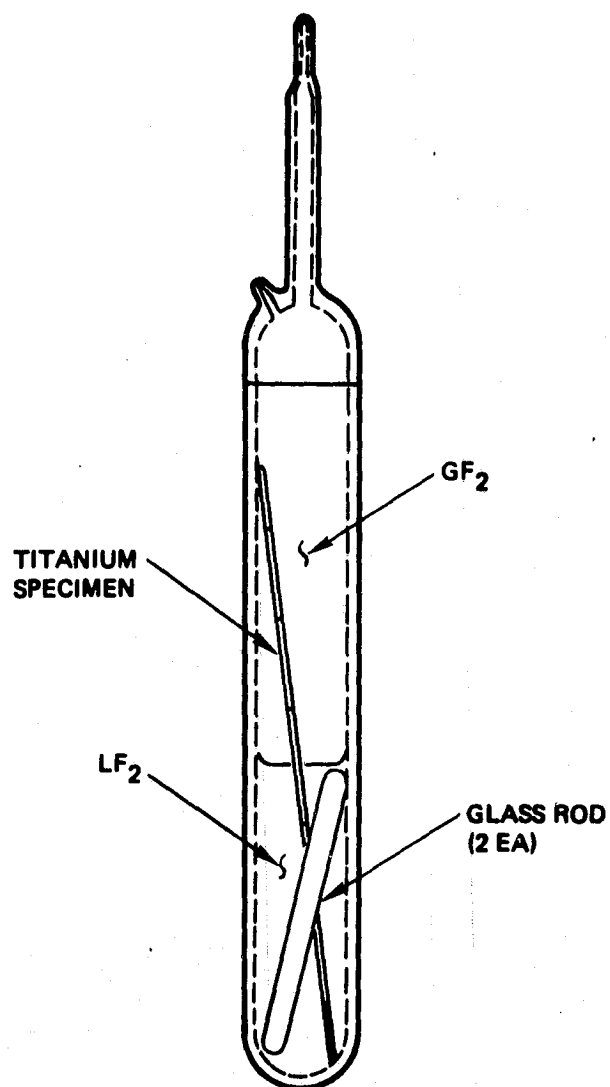


Figure 6. Loaded and Sealed Immersion Compatibility Capsule

post-immersion electron microprobe analysis of the residues after evaporation of fluorine from one capsule containing dark fluorine.

The glass capsules for  $\text{LF}_2$  control specimens No. 7 and 8 would not seal properly, and were discarded without testing. The capsules for titanium specimens 7508 and 7511 failed by breaking at the side-arm during the initiation/loading process and the specimens were discarded. (7511 was suppose to be a replacement for 7508.) Specimen 7529 was a spare; it was sealed into a capsule but was not subjected to any additional operations. The specimens which were exposed to  $\text{LF}_2$  prior to the capsule failing (7508 and 7511) become very corroded during evaporation of  $\text{F}_2$  open to the humid atmosphere, and are unsuitable for further use. (See lower sketch on page F-3.)

There were a total of thirty fluorine-loaded capsules: eight capsules with 10 ml of liquid fluorine only and 22 capsules with a titanium specimen and 10 ml of liquid fluorine.

(b) Storage of Specimens and Liquid Fluorine

- (i) A Cryo-flask was filled with  $\text{LN}_2$ . The storage cannisters were removed from the Cryoflask and placed in  $\text{LN}_2$ -filled Dewar flasks. The capsules for storage were placed in the cannisters, and when the cannisters were filled, they were replaced in the Cryoflask. A chart was prepared of the placement of the capsules; this chart is presented as Table X. The assignment of specimens to Group A and Group B is also given in Table X.
- (ii) The loaded Cryoflask was transferred from the laboratory to an armored storage bunker with a supply of  $\text{LN}_2$  refrigerant.  $\text{LN}_2$  was replenished twice weekly, and the storage assembly was inspected regularly. The approved operating procedure, number D01755, for maintaining the test in storage, is presented as Appendix C of this report.

(c) Removal of Specimens and Fluorine Controls from Storage

The removal of the capsules from storage, the removal of fluorine from the capsules, and the analysis of the residue remaining after distillation of fluorine at 77 K was performed by following the approved operating procedure No. YS-28T-15, attached to this report as Appendix D.

- (i) The capsules were removed from storage in the Cryo-flask and while still cooled by liquid nitrogen were attached to a ball valve by means of a Swagelok fitting and Teflon ferrules. The ball valve was in turn attached to the vacuum manifold shown in Figure 4. The ball valve had been drilled to permit the insertion of the capsule break-seal tip. The configuration is

TABLE X. SPECIMEN STORAGE LOCATION CHART

Specimen No.	Surface Finish	Heat Treated	Annealed	Initial Weight, g	Storage Canister No.	Test Group
7504	16	Yes	No	5.1380	3	B
7505	16	Yes	No	5.1570	3	B
7506	16	Yes	No	5.1780	3	B
7507	16	Yes	No	5.1023	3	B
7509	16	Yes	No	5.1368	4	A
7510	16	Yes	No	5.2066	4	A
7511	16	Yes	No	5.3021	4	A
7522	64	Yes	No	5.0853	4	A
7523	64	Yes	No	5.1962	5	B
7524	64	Yes	No	5.2110	5	B
7525	64	Yes	No	5.2240	5	B
7526	64	Yes	No	5.2286	5	B
7527	64	Yes	No	5.1724	6	A
7528	64	Yes	No	5.2931	6	A
7554	16	No	Yes	5.0616	7	A
7555	16	No	Yes	5.0880	7	A
7556	16	No	Yes	4.9442	7	B
7557	16	No	Yes	5.1087	7	B
7572	64	No	Yes	5.1401	8	A
7573	64	No	Yes	4.9885	8	A
7574	64	No	Yes	5.1323	8	B
7575	64	No	Yes	5.2082	8	B

Note: Canisters No. 1 and 2 contain four Group A and two Group B liquid fluorine reference samples, respectively.

shown in Figure 1 of Appendix D. The manifold and ball valve with the still-refrigerated capsule attached were evacuated for 15 minutes to remove any moisture adhering to the tip of the cold capsule. Then, with the vacuum pump isolated from the manifold, the ball valve was rotated to break the tip off the capsule. The pressure in the manifold rose to 320-330 torr. Again vacuum was applied to the manifold, but this time the gases were pumped through soda lime and charcoal scrubbers to avoid passing fluorine directly into the vacuum pump.

- (ii) When all the fluorine had distilled from the capsule and been pumped from the manifold, an infrared gas cell with silver chloride windows was attached to the vacuum manifold and evacuated. The LN<sub>2</sub> Dewar was removed from the capsule, which then warmed to room temperature (298 K). The residue present at 77 K melted and became a gas and a sample was transferred into the evacuated gas cell. By means of infrared spectrometry, the composition of room temperature-volatile, 77 K involatile, evaporated residue was determined.

At room temperature while at reduced total pressure (1 to 10 torr) no involatile residue was seen in the capsules except for small quantities on the walls in capsules which had contained dark-colored fluorine.

- (iii) After removal of all volatile materials, the capsule at 298 K was evacuated, back-filled to 1 atmosphere with helium and sealed for storage until the titanium specimen was examined.

The twenty-nine month (125 week) immersions were terminated over the period 13 to 17 November, 1978, and the thirty-nine month (168 week) immersions over the period 10 to 14 September 1979.

#### 2.3.4.2 Characterization of Titanium

The analyses consisted of visual examination, both unaided and by microscope, scanning electron microscope (SEM) examination, weight change, metallographic examination to determine stress corrosion cracking and number/size of pits, and mechanical property tests (i.e., ultimate tensile strength, yield strength, and % elongation). The same test method and equipment were utilized throughout the test program.

Specimens were transported from the propellant laboratory to the metallurgical laboratory sealed in helium gas in the original capsules from the fluorine tests. Figures G-1 through G-6 in Appendix G are photographs of the still-sealed 39-month immersion capsules with the specimens still inside, in the state they were received at the metallurgical laboratory. The specimens were removed from the glass capsules,

weighed and placed in argon-filled specimen bottles. Samples of the brown residue adherent to the upper wall of the capsule containing specimen 7526 (see Figure 7) were removed for electron probe microanalysis. This capsule was one which had dark colored fluorine after the fluorine had been in contact with stainless steel tubing for about 40 hours.

When weight change data were compared, it was found that the mean gain for 39 months was less than for 29 months. It was postulated that perhaps the corrosion film had broken away from the coupon surfaces in the 39 month tests. The interiors of the empty capsules were then inspected carefully. Small amounts of loose, solid, flakey residues were observed at the bottoms of the 39 month capsules. A sample of residue was taken from capsule 7526 for electron microprobe analysis.

Tensile, SEM, pitting analysis, and metallographic test coupons were cut from the double dogbone specimens exposed to the liquid/vapor fluorine as shown in Figure 8. Room temperature (298 K) tensile tests were conducted with serrated V-grips which permitted the reduced area test section to be tested without any alterations. Tensile specimens tests at 77 K did require machining of the coupons prior to testing. The higher strengths at 77 K cause the coupons to be pulled from the serrated grips. In order to test the specimens at 77 K, the coupons were machined to the unsymmetrical configuration shown in Figure 9.

Photographs of the fractured coupons were taken after completion of the tensile tests.

SEM and metallographic/pitting analysis specimens were removed from the ends of the specimens because the liquid/vapor transition cannot be precisely determined in the middle of the coupon. Metallographic and pitting analysis specimens were plated with electroless nickel in aqueous solution to retain the specimen edges, because edges can become rounded during the cross-section preparation, making it difficult to focus optical instruments accurately on the edges. Photomicrographs were taken at 400 X and at 1000 X to show typical surface profiles of each specimen. This nickel coating is only weakly adherent to the titanium. In many cases it spalled off during sectioning; however it did protect the edges before it was lost. The figure on page G-27 shows an adherent coating; those on G-22 show a weakly adherent coating; in F-16 only remnants of the coating remain; and in F-17 it is completely gone. Quantitative pitting analysis was made by counting the number of pits and measuring the pit diameter (d) (width at the top of the pit) and pit depth (l) as well as pit

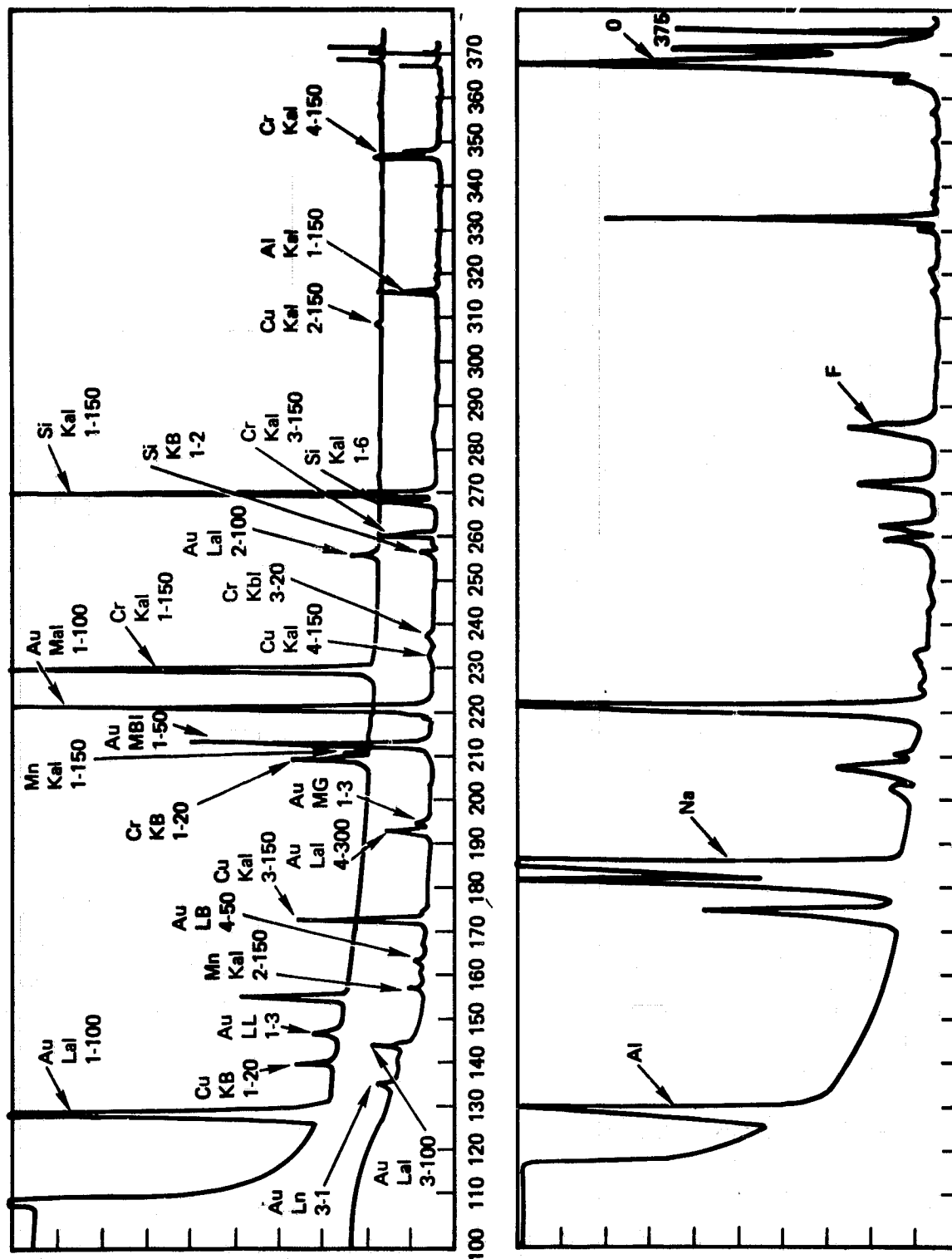
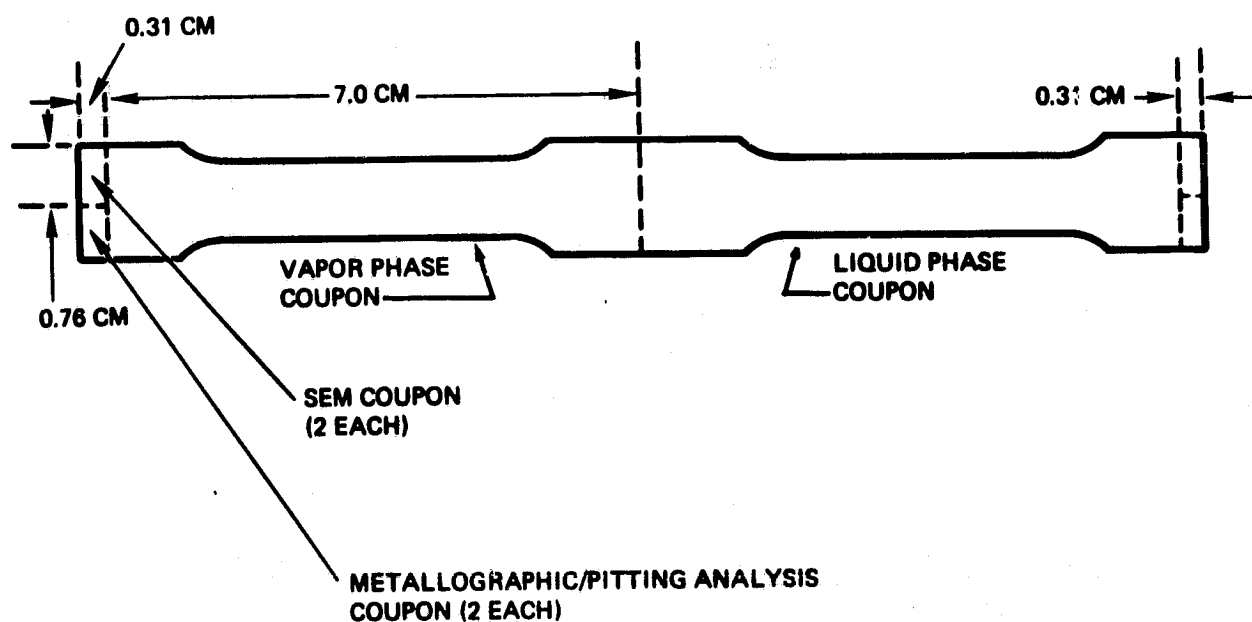


Figure 7. Electron Microprobe Traces of Dark Residue



**Figure 8. Test Coupon Locations on Immersion Specimen  
(See Figure 1 for complete dimensions)**

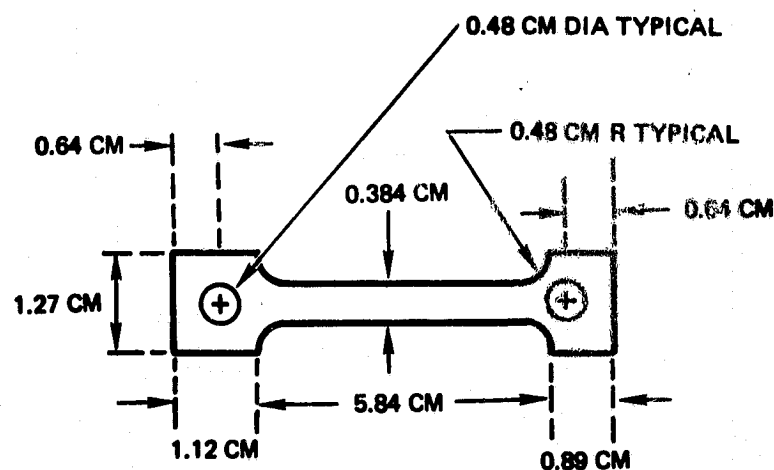


Figure 9. Modified Coupon for Cryogenic Tensile Test

spacing (distance between two adjacent pits). Data were obtained by random sampling and analysis of 0.254 cm of the linear distance of the cross-section, representing about one-sixth of the total width. Pit depth was measured with a metallograph.

The pit size was computed by assuming a circular cross-section and using the measured pit diameter data. By assuming uniform distribution, the pit concentration was calculated. Frequency distributions of pit depth, pit size, and pit depth/diameter ratio were calculated.

#### 2.3.4.3 Program Performed

The pre-immersion characterization plan (Table 1) was modified as follows:

- a) Mechanical property tests were conducted on 12 coupons prepared from 8 specimens. One coupon was tested from each of the unpassivated specimens (7500, 7520, 7550, and 7570), which was an addition to the plan. Eight F<sub>2</sub>-passivated coupons, four each from 16 RMS heat-treated (7502 and 7503) and from 16 RMS annealed (7552 and 7553), were tested at room temperature (7502 and 7552) and two at LN<sub>2</sub> temperature (7503 and 7553).
- b) Visual examinations, SEM, metallography and pitting analyses were carried out on all 12 pre-immersion specimens, instead of the 8 planned.

The 2-year duration post-immersion characterization plan (Table IV) was carried out, with the noted changes as follows:

- a) The duration of the immersion test was increased to 29 months.
- b) Mechanical property tests were conducted on 20 coupons prepared from all 10 specimens in the immersion test instead of the 16 coupons planned. Eight coupons were tested at 77 K, 4 from vapor immersion and 4 from liquid, and 12 at 298 K, 6 each from vapor and from liquid immersion. The first two of the cryogenic tests were failures, 7509 vapor and 7555 vapor, because the coupons had been machined to the wrong dimensions, and the fracture occurred in the grip region. The extra cryogenic tensile tests were added after this occurred.
- c) All ten specimens were weighed, visually examined, and mapped, as planned.
- d) Eight coupons were examined by SEM, as planned.
- e) Sixteen coupons were examined metallographically, as planned.
- f) Pitting analysis was carried out on eleven coupons, instead of the eight planned.
- g) Only 2 control samples of LF<sub>2</sub> were stored for 24 months. (Compare Table III). See last paragraph of Section 2.3.4.1(a).
- h) Chemical analyses of fluorine residues volatile at 298 K were carried out on 4 immersion samples and 2 controls, as planned.



The 3-year duration post-immersion characterization plan (Table V) was carried out as follows:

- a) The duration of the immersion was increased to 39 months.
- b) Mechanical property tests were conducted on 22 coupons prepared from all 11 specimens in the immersion test. Four coupons were tested at 77 K, 2 each from vapor and from liquid immersion. The remaining coupons were tested at 298 K.
- c) All eleven specimens were weighed, visually examined, and mapped, as planned.
- d) Eight coupons were examined by SEM, as planned.
- e) Sixteen coupons were examined metallographically, as planned.
- f) Pitting analyses were carried out on eight coupons, as planned.
- g) Chemical analyses of 298 K-volatile residues from fluorine were carried out on eleven immersion samples and 4 controls, instead of 4 samples and 4 controls as planned.
- h) Non-volatile residues in one capsule (specimen no. 7526) from dark fluorine were analyzed by electron microprobe.

### 2.3.5 Program Results - Data and Observations

#### 2.3.5.1 Pre-Immersion Tests

- a) Initial Fluorine Analysis: The data are reported in Table VII, Section 2.3.3.2.
- b) Visual Examination, Mapping, Microscopic Examination and Scanning Electron Microscopy: The sketches and photographs from these activities are included in Appendix E, Figures E-1, E-4 through E-7.

All unpassivated specimens (7500, 7520, 7550, and 7570) are clean with no visible discolorations. All F<sub>2</sub>-passivated specimens had slight discolorations. There was a contrast in surface morphology between 16 RMS and 64 RMS finishes, but there was no visible difference between heat-treated and annealed conditions. Under the microscope, there was definite surface etching and film formation on the passivated specimens.

- c) Metallography and Pitting Analyses: Photomicrographs of the coupons are included in Appendix E, Figures E-2 and E-3.

The measurements of the locations and diameters of all pits encountered in the 0.254 cm length on each coupon are presented in Table XI. Distribution frequencies for pit depth, pit area, and depth/diameter ratio can be found in Tables E-I to E-III in Appendix E.

TABLE XI. PRE-IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS

Coupon No.	Pit Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7500	1-2	64.90	2.03-0.76	1.40
	2-3	55.63	0.76-3.81	2.29
	3-4			
	4-5	166.75	2.54-0.76	1.65
	5-6	217.55	0.76-2.54	1.65
	6-7	99.06	2.54-2.54	2.54
	7-8	90.68	2.54-1.02	1.78
	8-9	36.58	1.02-1.02	1.02
7501	1-2	21.34	0.76-6.35	3.56
	2-3	106.55	6.35-1.02	3.69
	3-4	11.30	1.02-1.27	1.15
	4-5	2.92	1.27-2.54	1.91
	5-6	179.07	2.54-5.08	3.81
	6-7	63.88	5.08-0.76	2.92
	7-8	18.80	0.76-1.27	1.02
	8-9	121.29	1.27-2.54	1.91
	9-10	89.0	2.54-3.81	3.18
	10-11	7.49	3.81-1.02	2.42
	11-12	95.76	1.02-5.08	3.05
	12-13	18.29	5.08-1.02	3.05
7502	1-2	67.31	2.54-2.54	2.54
	2-3	248.84	2.54-2.54	2.54
	3-4	517.53	2.54-6.35	4.45
	4-5	29.85	6.35-2.54	4.45
	5-6	63.5	2.54-7.62	5.08
	6-7	407.67	7.62-2.54	5.08
	7-8	313.69	2.54-5.08	3.81
	8-9	8.26	5.08-1.27	3.18

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TABLE XI. PRE-IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No.	Pit Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7502 (Cont.)	9-10	97.79	1.27-1.27	1.27
	10-11	(data lost)	1.27-2.54	1.91
	11-12	128.91	2.54-1.27	1.91
	12-13	106.68	1.27-1.27	1.27
	13-14	294.64	1.27-3.81	2.54
7503	1-2	8.30	2.54-3.81	3.18
	2-3	67.95	3.81-5.08	4.45
	3-4	48.26	5.08-5.08	5.08
	4-5	45.72	5.08-7.62	6.35
	5-6	171.45	7.62-5.08	6.35
	6-7	51.74	5.08-1.91	3.50
	7-8	42.85	1.91-2.54	2.23
	8-9	48.90	2.54-1.27	1.91
	9-10	80.65	1.27-12.7	6.99
	10-11	115.57	12.7-5.08	8.89
	11-12	74.93	5.08-10.16	7.62
	12-13	262.89	10.16-7.62	8.89
	13-14	514.35	7.62-5.08	6.35
	14-15	217.17	5.08-2.54	3.81
	15-16	142.24	2.54-2.54	2.54
7520	1-2	195.58	12.7-2.54	7.62
	2-3	71.63	2.54-1.02	1.78
	3-4	125.48	1.02-1.02	1.02
	4-5	131.32	1.02-2.54	1.78
	5-6	23.50	2.54-11.43	6.99
	6-7	12.7	11.43-1.27	5.72
	7-8	11.18	1.27-0.76	1.02
	8-9	33.40	0.76-5.08	2.92
	9-10	17.78	5.08-10.16	7.62

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TABLE XI. PRE-IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No.	Pit Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7520 (Cont.)	10-11	50.8	10.16-5.08	7.62
	11-12	6.99	5.08-3.81	4.45
	12-13	13.21	3.81-2.54	3.18
	13-14	132.08	2.54-2.54	2.54
	14-15	86.11	2.54-2.03	2.29
	15-16	156.59	2.03-3.81	2.92
	16-17	384.81	3.81-3.81	3.81
	17-18	337.19	3.81-1.27	2.54
7521	1-2	0		
	2-3	154.31	2.54-1.27	1.91
	3-4	90.55	1.27-2.03	1.65
	4-5	11.56	2.03-0.76	1.40
	5-6	37.85	6.76-1.27	1.02
	6-7	62.36	1.27-1.52	1.46
	7-8	100.46	1.52-1.27	1.40
	8-9	83.69	1.27-1.02	1.15
	9-10	88.52	1.02-0.76	0.89
	10-11	126.11	0.76-2.54	1.66
7550	1-2	551.18	6.35-3.81	5.08
	2-3	603.25	3.81-3.81	3.81
	3-4	142.24	3.81-1.27	2.54
	4-5	314.96	7.62-2.54	5.08
	5-6	66.04	2.54-2.54	2.54
	6-7	586.74	2.54-2.54	2.54
	7-8	196.22	2.54-8.89	5.72
	8-9	1098.55	8.89-3.81	6.35
7551	1-2	248.29	1.27-2.54	1.91
	2-3	266.70	2.54-2.54	2.54
	3-4	730.89	2.54-1.27	1.91

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TABLE XI. PRE-IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No.	Pit Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7552	1-2	226.82	1.52-7.62	4.57
	2-3	37.47	7.62-1.78	4.70
	3-4	33.27	1.78-1.27	1.53
	4-5	163.83	1.27-1.27	1.27
	5-6	79.88	3.81-1.02	2.42
	6-7	221.74	1.02-0.51	0.77
	7-8	19.56	0.51-0.51	0.51
	8-9	242.19	0.51-3.81	2.16
	9-10	26.04	3.81-2.54	3.18
	10-11	55.37	2.54-1.52	2.03
	11-12	23.62	1.52-2.54	2.03
7553	1-2	452.63	1.78-1.78	1.78
	2-3	11.56	1.78-1.02	1.40
	3-4	44.96	1.02-2.54	1.78
	4-5	106.43	2.54-2.03	2.29
	5-6	55.12	1.78-1.78	1.78
	6-7	295.53	1.78-2.54	2.16
	7-8	72.14	2.54-2.03	2.29
	8-9	402.34	2.03-2.54	2.29
7570	1-2	128.91	3.81-10.16	6.99
	2-3	74.93	10.16-2.54	6.35
	3-4	123.83	2.54-6.35	4.45
	4-5	288.04	6.35-0.76	3.56
	5-6	140.72	0.76-1.27	1.02
	6-7	574.68	3.81-2.54	3.18
	7-8	484.51	2.54-1.27	1.91

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TABLE XI. PRE-IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No.	Pit Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7571	1-2	196.22	5.08-1.27	3.18
	2-3	303.15	1.27-2.54	1.98
	3-4	383.54	2.54-2.54	2.54
	4-5	40.01	2.54-1.27	1.91
	5-6	195.83	1.27-1.27	1.27
	6-7	454.28	2.54-1.78	2.16
	7-8	77.98	1.78-1.29	1.53

**TABLE XII. SUMMARY OF DIMENSIONS AND FREQUENCIES OF PITS  
IN PRE-IMMERSION SPECIMENS**

Specimen Number	Number of Pits Counted in 0.254 cm	Pit Frequency No. $\times 10^3/\text{cm}^2$	Pit Depth cm $\times 10^{-4}$		Pit Area $\text{cm}^2 \times 10^{-7}$		Depth/Diameter Ratio	
			Mean	Standard Dev.	Mean	Standard Dev.	Mean	Standard Dev.
<u>Unpassivated</u>								
7500	9	1.3	0.89	0.21	0.36	0.13	0.68	0.26
7520	18	5.0	2.00	0.95	2.32	3.45	0.69	0.40
7550	10	1.6	1.54	0.88	1.9	2.0	0.62	0.15
7570	9	1.3	2.03	0.83	1.7	2.6	0.83	0.23
<u>Passivated</u>								
7501	13	2.6	1.21	0.74	0.77	1.02	0.76	0.27
7502	14	3.0	0.78	0.32	1.03	1.33	0.34	0.14
7503	16	4.0	1.32	0.69	2.73	3.38	0.40	0.19
7521	11	1.9	1.26	0.67	0.20	0.17	1.10	0.69
7551	5	0.4	1.48	0.70	0.48	0.42	0.83	0.23
7552	13	2.6	1.06	0.57	0.68	1.2	0.66	0.46
7553	10	1.6	1.09	0.40	0.33	0.14	0.70	0.18
7571	9	1.3	1.46	0.77	0.48	0.61	0.82	0.19
Simple Mean	11.4	2.2	-	-	-	-	-	-
Weighted Mean	-	-	1.34	-	1.23	-	0.67	-
Range	5-18	0.4 - 5.0	0.78-2.03		0.20-2.73		0.40-1.10	

A summary of the average surface characteristics for each coupon is given in Table XII. It includes mean values, calculated from the original data, for number of pits per 0.254 cm length, number of pits per unit 1 cm<sup>2</sup> area, mean pit depth, mean pit area, and mean depth/diameter ratio. In addition, the Table contains overall averages for the above parameters for all coupons in the pre-immersion test. These are weighted "means of means" which were calculated by multiplying the mean value for each coupon in the table by the number of pits per unit length, summing the products, and dividing the product sum by the total number of pits for all coupons.

- d) Mechanical Properties (Tensile Tests): The data obtained in the tensile tests are presented in Table XIII. Photographs of the fractured coupons are in Appendix E, Figure E-8 through E-10.

#### 2.3.5.2 Immersion Storage

The storage of the capsules under LN<sub>2</sub> over the complete program took place without incident. All capsules placed in test were recovered intact at the ends of the immersion periods. Actual immersion durations were 29 months for Group A and 39 months for Group B.



TABLE XIII. TENSILE MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF  
PRE-IMMERSION TITANIUM COUPONS

Coupon No.	Test Temp (K)	Ultimate Strength (psi)	Yield Strength 0.2% Offset (psi)	% Elongation 1/2 Inch
7500-1	298	176,600	165,200	10
7520-1	298	173,800	159,400	13
7550-1	298	147,200	138,200	16
7570-1	298	146,500	139,100	16
7502-1	298	175,800	161,900	10
7502-2	298	175,000	163,300	12
7503-1	77	256,400	-	6
7503-2	77	256,000	-	6
7552-1	298	146,700	138,900	16
7552-2	298	147,300	139,600	16
7553-1	77	231,700	-	9
7553-2	77	225,800	-	8

-1 coupon is from end of specimen with Vee notch.

-2 coupon is from plain end of specimen.

### 2.3.5.3 Post 29-Month Immersion Tests

- a. **Fluorine Impurity Analysis:** The results from these analyses for volatile impurities are presented in Table XIV. No nonvolatile residues were observed in any of the capsules.
- b. **Visual Examinations, Mapping, Microscopic Examination, and Scanning Electron Microscopy:** The sketches and photographs from these activities are included in Appendix F, Figures F-1, F-2 and F-4.

All surfaces had irregular surface films, which usually were thicker on the liquid-immersed portion. However, sharp demarcations between the parts immersed in liquid and in vapor were not detected. The films appeared to be more continuous on the annealed specimens than on the heat-treated ones for both surface finishes. Discrete corrosion-product particles were more prevalent on the heat-treated specimens.

- c. **Weight/Weight Changes:** The weight change data are presented in Table XV.

The test specimens (including both the top and bottom of the double dogbone specimens) had an average weight gain of 0.0181 g (range of 0.0139 to 0.0223 g) with an average percent weight gain of 0.35% (range of 0.27 % to 0.50 %). When the percent weight change data are examined, it appears that specimen 7527 is out of line with the remainder. As a test, the arithmetic mean and standard deviation for all specimens were calculated:  $\bar{X} = 0.352$ ;  $\sigma_n = 0.068$ . Since the value for the percent change for specimen 7527, 0.50, is greater than  $\bar{X} + 2\sigma = 0.487$ , the probability is greater than 95% that the datum for 7527 represents a different population, so it is ignored in the analyses.

- d. **Metallography and Pitting Analysis:** Photomicrographs of the coupons are included in Appendix F, Figure F-3.

The measurements of the locations and diameters of all pits encountered in the 0.254 cm length on each coupon are presented in Table XVI. Distribution frequencies for pit depth, pit area, and depth/diameter ratio can be found in Tables F-I to F-III in Appendix F.

A summary of the average surface characteristics for each coupon is given in Table XVII. It includes mean values, calculated from the original data, for number of pits per 0.254 cm length, number of pits per unit 1 cm<sup>2</sup> area, mean pit depth, mean pit area, and mean depth/diameter ratio.

TABLE XIV. ANALYSIS OF VOLATILE RESIDUES  
29 MONTH IMMERSION

Specimen No,	Residue Content							
	CO <sub>2</sub>		CF <sub>4</sub>		HF		SiF <sub>4</sub>	
	mg	% v/v	mg	% v/v	mg	% v/v	mg	% v/v
F <sub>2</sub> Control #5	<0.01	$5.6 \times 10^{-5}$	<0.01	$2.8 \times 10^{-5}$	<0.04	$1.1 \times 10^{-2}$	<0.01	$4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
F <sub>2</sub> Control #6	<0.01	$5.6 \times 10^{-5}$	<0.01	$2.8 \times 10^{-5}$	<0.04	$1.1 \times 10^{-2}$	<0.01	$4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7505	0.05	$2.8 \times 10^{-4}$	<0.01	$2.8 \times 10^{-5}$	<0.04	$1.1 \times 10^{-2}$	<0.01	$4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7522	0.41	$2.3 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01	$2.8 \times 10^{-5}$	<0.04	$1.1 \times 10^{-2}$	0.10	$4.9 \times 10^{-3}$
7555	0.35	$2.0 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01	$2.8 \times 10^{-5}$	<0.04	$1.1 \times 10^{-2}$	<0.01	$4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7575	0.41	$2.3 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01	$2.8 \times 10^{-5}$	<0.04	$1.1 \times 10^{-2}$	<0.01	$4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
Lower Limit of Detection	0.01	$5.6 \times 10^{-5}$	0.01	$2.8 \times 10^{-5}$	0.04	$1.1 \times 10^{-2}$	0.01	$4.9 \times 10^{-4}$

Notes: Capsules initially loaded with 15.5 g of LF<sub>2</sub>.  
Mg indicates mg of material collected in one capsule.  
% v/v indicates volume % of material in total F<sub>2</sub> in gas phase

TABLE XV. POST IMMERSION WEIGHT CHANGES  
29-MONTH IMMERSION

Specimen I.D.	Cond.	Pre-Immersion Weight (g)	Post-Immersion Weight (g)	Weight* Gain $\Delta g$	%	Mean % Gains	
						$\bar{g}_n$	$\bar{X}$
7505	HT 16	5.1570	5.1718	+0.0148	0.29	0.0203	0.307
7509	HT 16	5.1368	5.1530	+0.0162	0.32		
7510	HT 16	5.2066	5.2205	+0.0139	0.27		
7522	HT 64	5.0853	5.1018	+0.0165	0.32	0.0111	0.313
7527	HT 64	5.1724	5.1982	+0.0258	0.50**		
7528	HT 64	5.2931	5.3091	+0.0160	0.30		
7555	A 16	5.0880	5.1058	+0.0178	0.35	0.0066	0.343
7557	A 16	5.1087	5.1259	+0.0172	0.34		
7572	A 64	5.1401	5.1608	+0.0207	0.40		
7575	A 64	5.2082	5.2305	+0.0223	0.43	0.0127	0.415
						0.312	0.0266

\*Weights are for complete specimens, including both vapor-immersed and liquid-immersed portions.

\*\*Outlier: not included in calculations

TABLE XVI. 29-MONTH IMMERSION PIT  
SIZES AND LOCATIONS

Coupon No. and Phase	Pit Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7505 LIQUID	1- 2	69.9	6.4-14.5	10.5
	2- 3	139.1	14.5- 6.6	10.6
	3- 4	30.3	6.6-11.4	9.0
	4- 5	15.4	11.4- 8.1	9.8
	5- 6	15.2	8.1- 2.5	5.3
	6- 7	24.7	2.5- 5.6	4.1
	7- 8	23.5	5.6- 5.8	5.7
	8- 9	38.9	5.8- 5.3	5.4
	9-10	9.7	5.3- 9.1	7.2
	10-11	21.1	9.1-10.2	9.7
	11-12	14.9	10.2- 9.4	9.8
7505 VAPOR	1- 2	69.0	4.1- 5.3	4.7
	2- 3	37.1	5.3- 4.8	5.1
	3- 4	48.9	4.8- 1.5	3.2
	4- 5	88.1	1.5- 7.1	4.3
7510 LIQUID	1- 2	39.2	2.5- 7.6	16.3
	2- 3	34.3	7.6- 3.6	5.6
	3- 4	48.6	3.6- 5.1	4.4
	4- 5	68.6	5.1- 7.6	6.4
	5- 6	14.5	7.6- 8.1	7.9
	6- 7	11.9	8.1- 7.1	7.6
	7- 8	63.1	7.1- 5.8	6.5
	8- 9	22.6	5.8- 6.4	6.1
	9-10	42.7	6.4- 9.4	7.9
	10-11	87.2	9.4- 6.4	7.9
7510 VAPOR	1- 2	31.0	6.9- 7.9	7.4
	2- 3	127.6	7.9-14.0	11.0
	3- 4	24.4	14.0- 6.4	10.2
	4- 5	8.9	6.4- 6.4	6.4

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TABLE XVI. 29-MONTH IMMERSION PIT SIZES  
AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No. and Phase	Pit Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7510 VAPOR (Cont'd)	5- 6	50.8	6.4-10.4	8.4
	6- 7	150.4	10.4- 3.3	6.9
	7- 8	42.0	3.3- 8.4	5.9
	8- 9	87.8	8.4- 9.7	9.1
7527 LIQUID	1- 2	35.9	17.8-15.8	16.8
	2- 3	18.1	15.8- 7.6	11.7
	3- 4	33.3	7.6-12.7	10.2
	4- 5	41.6	12.7-23.6	18.2
	5- 6	46.4	23.6-29.0	26.3
	6- 7	68.6	29.0-25.4	27.2
	7- 8	254.0	25.4-25.4	25.4
	8- 9	137.2	25.4-25.4	25.4
	9-10	97.9	25.4-18.0	21.7
	10-11	80.8	18.0-19.1	18.6
7527 VAPOR	1- 2	26.2	21.6-21.1	21.4
	2- 3	24.9	21.1-24.1	22.6
	3- 4	22.6	24.1-17.0	20.6
	4- 5	20.0	17.0-13.7	15.4
	5- 6	21.9	13.7-18.8	16.3
	6- 7	30.9	18.8-17.5	18.2
	7- 8	22.2	17.5-17.3	17.4
	8- 9	16.2	17.3- 6.4	11.9
	9-10	34.2	6.4-13.7	10.1
	10-11	81.7	13.7- 6.4	10.1
	11-12	135.7	6.4- 7.9	7.2
	12-13	54.7	7.9- 3.8	5.9
	13-14	7.7	3.8- 3.3	3.6
	14-15	15.7	3.3- 4.6	4.0
	15-16	136.3	4.6-71.9	38.3
	16-17	134.4	71.9- 8.9	40.4

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TABLE XVI. 29-MONTH IMMERSION PIT SIZES  
AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No. and Phase	Pit Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7557 LIQUID	1- 2	6.8	2.5- 6.1	4.3
	2- 3	20.9	6.1-11.9	9.0
	3- 4	65.5	11.9-10.9	11.4
	4- 5	44.3	10.9- 5.1	8.0
	5- 6	27.1	5.1- 9.4	7.3
	6- 7	40.6	9.4-56.6	33.0
	7- 8	91.3	56.6- 7.6	32.1
	8- 9	11.0	7.6- 5.1	6.4
	9-10	19.8	5.1- 6.4	5.8
	10-11	43.6	6.4- 4.6	5.5
	11-12	56.7	4.6- 2.5	3.6
7557 VAPOR	1- 2	24.3	2.0- 4.3	3.2
	2- 3	17.3	4.3- 1.8	3.1
	3- 4	26.0	1.8- 4.3	3.1
	4- 5	34.4	4.3- 2.5	3.4
	5- 6	6.4	2.5- 6.6	4.6
	6- 7	10.7	6.6- 2.0	4.3
7572 VAPOR	1- 2	26.2	21.6-21.1	21.4
	2- 3	24.9	21.1-24.1	22.6
	3- 4	22.6	24.1-17.0	20.6
	4- 5	20.0	17.0-13.7	15.4
	5- 6	29.0	13.7-18.8	16.3
	6- 7	100.0	18.8-18.5	18.7
	7- 8	36.6	18.5-11.4	15.0
	8- 9	142.1	11.4-20.3	15.9
	9-10	35.5	20.3- 6.4	13.4
	10-11	21.5	6.4-15.2	10.8
	11-12	23.5	15.2-14.0	14.6

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TABLE XVI. 29-MONTH IMMERSION PIT SIZES  
AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No. and Phase	Pit Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7572 VAPOR (Cont'd)	12-13	236.3	14.0-14.0	14.0
	13-14	121.3	14.0-10.2	12.1
	14-15	61.7	10.2- 7.6	8.9
	15-16	259.7	7.6- 6.4	7.0
7575 LIQUID	1- 2	13.2	6.6-12.5	9.6
	2- 3	32.0	12.5-12.2	12.4
	3- 4	15.8	12.2- 4.6	8.4
	4- 5	98.7	4.6- 4.3	4.5
	5- 6	14.6	4.3- 8.1	6.2
	6- 7	175.1	8.1-14.5	11.3
	7- 8	214.7	14.5- 6.4	10.5
	8- 9	108.8	6.4- 6.4	6.4
	9-10	13.6	6.4- 5.6	6.0
	10-11	11.6	5.6- 3.8	4.7
	11-12	20.7	3.8- 3.6	3.7
	12-13	30.9	3.6-10.9	7.3
	13-14	16.8	10.9- 8.9	9.9
	14-15	45.2	8.9-10.2	9.6
	15-16	36.1	10.2- 3.6	6.9
	16-17	170.1	3.6- 7.9	5.8
	17-18	34.6	7.9- 2.8	5.4
	18-19	117.8	2.8- 8.1	5.5
7575 VAPOR	1- 2	15.9	12.7- 3.8	8.3
	2- 3	14.9	3.8-13.7	8.8
	3- 4	38.8	13.7-18.0	15.9
	4- 5	21.4	18.0-16.5	17.3
	5- 6	22.5	16.5- 5.1	10.8
	6- 7	39.3	5.1-27.2	16.2
	7- 8	75.6	27.2- 8.1	17.7

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TABLE XVI. 29-MONTH IMMERSION PIT SIZES  
AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No. and Phase	Pit Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7575 VAPOR (Cont'd)	8- 9	48.0	8.1-25.4	16.8
	9-10	53.5	25.4-10.9	18.2
	10-11	25.4	10.9- 9.1	10.0
	11-12	92.6	9.1-25.4	17.3
	12-13	38.2	25.4- 4.8	15.1
	13-14	31.4	4.8- 7.9	6.4
	14-15	32.6	7.9- 4.1	6.0
	15-16	81.9	4.1- 5.6	4.9
	16-17	28.4	5.6- 5.1	5.4
	17-18	70.6	5.1-18.0	11.6
	18-19	52.2	18.0-18.5	18.3
	19-20	29.1	18.5- 7.1	12.8
	20-21	13.5	7.1-10.4	8.8
	21-22	94.9	10.4- 8.4	9.4
	22-23	10.4	8.4- 7.6	8.0
	23-24	84.1	7.6- 4.6	6.1
	24-25	19.1	4.6-12.7	8.7
	25-26	80.4	12.7-10.2	11.5
	26-27	21.8	10.2-17.3	13.8
	27-28	23.0	17.3- 2.5	9.9
	28-29	87.4	2.5- 6.9	4.7
	29-30	42.0	6.9- 8.9	7.9
	30-31	8.1	8.9- 3.8	6.4
	31-32	24.3	3.8- 5.8	4.8
	32-33	48.4	5.8- 5.8	5.8
	33-34	48.4	5.8- 9.7	7.8

**TABLE XVII. SUMMARY OF DIMENSIONS AND FREQUENCIES OF PITS  
IN 29-MONTH IMMERSION COUPONS**

Coupon Number	Number of Pits Counted in 0.254 cm	Pit Frequency No. $\times 10^3/\text{cm}^2$	Pit Depth $\text{cm} \times 10^{-4}$		Pit Area $\text{cm}^2 \times 10^{-7}$		Depth/Diameter Ratio	
			Mean	Standard Dev.	Mean	Standard Dev.	Mean	Standard Dev.
7505 Liquid	12	2.2	2.57	1.32	5.66	4.44	0.35	0.16
7505 Vapor	5	0.4	2.02	0.58	1.89	1.38	0.51	0.21
7510 Liquid	11	1.9	1.51	0.58	3.43	1.87	0.26	0.12
7510 Vapor	9	1.3	2.16	1.32	5.86	4.25	0.26	0.12
7527 Liquid	11	1.9	7.37	5.40	34.30	19.20	0.36	0.17
7527 Vapor	17	4.5	4.46	3.62	39.50	95.50	0.31	0.12
7557 Liquid	12	2.2	1.58	0.37	24.70	71.50	0.27	0.16
7557 Vapor	7	0.8	1.74	0.91	1.10	1.15	0.58	0.36
7572 Vapor	16	4.0	6.02	5.59	20.00	13.00	0.38	0.26
7575 Liquid	19	5.6	4.34	3.32	5.19	4.50	0.73	0.90
7575 Vapor	34	17.9	7.22	6.27	12.20	15.10	0.99	1.60
Simple Mean	13.9	3.9	-	-	-	-	-	-
Weighted Mean	-	-	4.50	-	15.4	-	0.54	-
Range	5-34	0.4 - 17.9	1.51-7.37		1.1-39.5		0.26-0.99	

In addition, the Table contains overall averages for the above parameters for all coupons in the pre-immersion test. These are weighted "means of means" which were calculated by multiplying the mean value for each coupon in the table by the number of pits per unit length, summing the products, and dividing the product sum by the total number of pits for all coupons.

The data on pit frequency, pit depth, and pit diameter do not indicate any consistent pattern of increased attack in either of vapor or liquid fluorine. However, the annealed coupons are more severely attacked than the heat treated coupons, and the 64 RMS finish more than the 16 RMS.

- e. Mechanical Properties (Tensile Tests): The data obtained in the tensile tests are presented in Table XVIII. Photographs of the fractured coupons are in Appendix F, Figures F-5 and F-6.

The coupons which broke in the holding fixture at 77 K were the wrong configuration for the low temperature mechanical tests - - they had not been properly machined to the shape shown in Figure 9. An intermediate configuration, with insufficient reduction in area, was used - - see the top parts of the figures on pages F-31 and F-32. The failures were not related to the exposure to fluorine.

TABLE XVIII. TENSILE MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF 29-MONTH  
IMMERSION TITANIUM COUPONS

Coupon No.	Test Temp (K)	Ultimate Strength (psi)	Yield Strength 0.2% Offset	% Elongation 1/2 Inch
7505-T	298	177,000	166,500	16
7505-B	298	173,100	163,500	14
7509-T*	77	-	-	-
7509-B	298	174,400	165,100	16
7510-T	298	177,800	167,900	16
7510-B	77	244,400	-	8
7522-T	298	174,600	164,300	14
7522-B	298	175,200	165,200	16
7527-T	77	251,000	-	5
7527-B	77	254,200	-	5
7528-T	298	177,500	166,800	14
7528-B	298	177,000	166,200	16
7555-T*	77	-	-	-
7555-B	298	146,200	139,100	20
7557-T	298	150,400	147,200	16
7557-B	77	221,500	-	12
7572-T	77	250,000	-	6
7572-B	77	224,000	-	7
7575-T	298	149,600	140,100	18
7575-B	298	149,200	141,300	18

NOTE: T=Top; Vapor Phase F<sub>2</sub> Immersion Exposure.B=Bottom; Liquid Phase F<sub>2</sub> Immersion Exposure.

\* Specimen broke in holding fixture.

#### 2.3.5.4 Post 39-Month Immersion Tests

- a. Fluorine Impurity Analysis: The results from these analyses for volatiles are presented in Tables XIX.

All residues from both controls and specimens have measurable quantities of  $\text{CO}_2$ ; the mean for all 15 is  $1.70 \times 10^{-3} \% \text{ v/v}$ . Measurable quantities of  $\text{SiF}_4$  were noted in all control samples (mean =  $10.3 \times 10^{-3} \% \text{ v/v}$ , range =  $2.5 - 20 \times 10^{-3}$ ) but the range was surprisingly wide. However, only two of the titanium immersion capsules had appreciable  $\text{SiF}_4$ , 7523 and 7526. Contents of both  $\text{CF}_4$  and HF were below the detectable limit in all capsules.

- b. Analysis of Non-Volatile Residues: These analyses are reported in Table XX. The red-brown residue from the "dark" fluorine contains large quantities of chromium, and some copper, aluminum, and manganese. The only source of chromium in the system is the 18-8 CRES tubing in the manifold, and chromium fluorides are highly colored and are volatile at 298 K.

The flaky residue from the bottom of capsule 7526 contains significant quantities of titanium. It should be noted that the specimen in the capsule from which it was taken had the second highest weight gain of all 39-month specimens. Further analyses of these residues and attempts to determine weights of the loose material were not conducted because the contents had not been protected from access of the moist atmosphere after removal of the specimens.

- c. Visual Examination, Mapping, Microscopic Examination, and Scanning Electron Microscopy: The sketches and photographs from these activities are included in Appendix G, Figures G-1 through G-3 and G-5 through G-20.

Visual examinations were performed at magnifications up to 40X on all 11 double dogbone specimens from the 39 months exposure, see Figure G-3. Small pits appear to be present in the surface of some of the specimens, see Figure G-4-3. Test coupons from two double dogbone specimens were examined on the JOEL Model JSM-2 scanning electron microscope. Both liquid and vapor exposed areas of the specimens were examined. The areas exposed to the liquid fluorine appeared to have a heavier scale than the areas exposed to the fluorine vapor (see Figure G-5 through G-20). It should be noted that the vapor exposed area of specimen 7573 has very little corrosion products (Figure G-17 and G-18) whereas liquid exposed specimen 7523 (Figures G-11 and G-12) exhibited thick layer of deposits.

- d. Weight/Weight Changes: The weight change data are incorporated in Table XXI.

These data are suspect and should not be used for mathematical analyses, because of the detection of titanium salt residues in the emptied capsules. No specific reason for flaking of the corrosion film can be cited. The possibility of severe vibration or shock during transit from the propellant laboratory to the metallurgical laboratory cannot be ruled out, as no requirement for special treatment during transport was imposed. On the other hand, spontaneous cracking and flaking of the corrosion film over a longer formation period and the more severe pitting attack in the titanium is also possible.

- e. Metallography and Pitting Analysis: Photomicrographs of the coupons are included in Appendix G, Figures G-4 and G-23.

The measurements of the locations and diameters of all pits encountered in the 0.254 cm length on each coupon are presented in Table XXII. Distribution frequencies for pit depth, pit area, and depth/diameter ratio can be found in Tables G-I to G-III in Appendix G.

A summary of the average surface characteristics for each coupon is given in Table XXIII. It includes mean values, calculated from the original data, for number of pits per 0.254 cm length, number of pits per unit  $1 \text{ cm}^2$  area; mean pit depth, mean pit area, and mean depth/diameter ratio. In addition, the Table contains overall averages for the above parameters for all coupons in the pre-immersion test. These are weighted "means of means" which were calculated by multiplying the mean value for each coupon in the table by the number of pits per unit length, summing the products, and dividing the product sum by the total number of pits for all coupons.

The data show that pit frequency is not dependent on fluorine phase, or alloy heat treat condition. However, both pit depth and pit area are strong functions of initial surface finish, with the 64 RMS material yielding deeper and wider pits.

- f. Mechanical Properties (Tensile Tests): The data obtained in the tensile tests are presented in Table XXIV. Photographs of the fractured coupons are in Appendix G, Figures G-21 and G-22.

No correlations of mechanical properties with immersion parameters were found.

TABLE XIX. ANALYSES OF VOLATILE RESIDUE IN 39-MONTH CAPSULES

Specimen No.	Residue Content							
	CO <sub>2</sub>		CF <sub>4</sub>		HF		SiF <sub>4</sub>	
	Mg	% v/v	mg	% v/v	mg	% v/v	mg	% v/v
Fluorine Control 1	0.90	$5.0 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01	$<2.8 \times 10^{-5}$	<0.04	$<1.1 \times 10^{-2}$	0.05	$2.5 \times 10^{-3}$
Fluorine Control 2	0.45	$2.5 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		0.40	$2.0 \times 10^{-2}$
Fluorine Control 3	0.18	$1.0 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		0.20	$9.8 \times 10^{-3}$
Fluorine Control 4	0.20	$1.1 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		0.18	$8.8 \times 10^{-3}$
7504	0.20	$1.1 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		<0.01	$<4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7506	0.20	$1.1 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		<0.01	$<4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7507	0.25	$1.4 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		<0.01	$<4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7523	0.40	$2.2 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		0.40	$2.0 \times 10^{-2}$
7524	0.35	$2.0 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		<0.01	$<4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7525	0.25	$1.4 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		<0.01	$<4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7526	0.30	$1.7 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		0.35	$1.1 \times 10^{-3}$
7554	0.30	$1.7 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		<0.01	$<4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7556	0.15	$8.4 \times 10^{-4}$	<0.01		<0.04		<0.01	$<4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7573	0.20	$1.1 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		<0.01	$<4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
7574	0.25	$1.4 \times 10^{-3}$	<0.01		<0.04		<0.01	$<4.9 \times 10^{-4}$
Lower Limit of Detection	0.01	$5.6 \times 10^{-5}$	0.01	$2.8 \times 10^{-5}$	0.04	$1.1 \times 10^{-2}$	0.01	$4.9 \times 10^{-4}$

Notes: Capsules initially loaded with 15.5 g of LF<sub>2</sub>.

Mg indicates mg of material collected in one capsule

% v/v indicates volume % of material in total F<sub>2</sub> in capsule totally in gas phase

TABLE XX. ANALYSES OF NON-VOLATILE RESIDUES  
IN CAPSULE 7526

## ELECTRON PROBE MICROANALYSIS OF TUBE RESIDUES (SEMI-QUANTITATIVE)

## RED-BROWN RESIDUE ON WALL OF TUBE

ELEMENT	SEMIQUANTITATIVE CONCENTRATION ESTIMATE
FLUORINE	5 to 10%
CHROMIUM	> 10%
COPPER	5 to 10%
ALUMINUM	1 to 5 %
MANGANESE	1 to 5 %

## WHITE FLAKES AT BOTTOM OF TUBE

ELEMENT	SEMIQUANTITATIVE CONCENTRATION ESTIMATE
CHROMIUM	> 10%
COPPER	> 10%
ALUMINUM	1 to 5%
MANGANESE	1 to 5%
TITANIUM	1 to 5%
TIN	≤ 1%
ZINC	1 to 5%



TABLE XXI. POST 39-MONTH IMMERSION WEIGHT CHANGE MEASUREMENTS

Specimen No.	Cond.	Pre-Immersion Weight (g)	Post-Immersion Weight (g)	Weight Change		Mean % Change	
				$\Delta g$	%	$\sigma_n$	$\bar{X}$
7504	HT 16	5.1380	5.1409	+0.0029	0.06	0.038	+0.087
7506	HT 16	5.1780	5.1845	+0.0065	0.13		
7507	HT 16	5.1023	5.1061	+0.0038	0.07		
7523	HT 64	5.1962	5.1976	+0.0014	0.03	0.099	+0.163
7524	HT 64	5.2110	5.2191	+0.0081	0.15		
7525	HT 64	5.2240	5.2349	+0.0109	0.21		
7526	HT 64	5.2286	5.2423	+0.0137	0.26	0.191	+0.205
7554	A 16	5.0616	5.0790	+0.0174	0.34		
7556	A 16	4.9442	4.9475	+0.0033	0.07		
7573	A 64	4.9885	4.9933	+0.0048	0.10	0.035	+0.075
7574	A 64	5.1323	5.1347	+0.0024	0.05		

 $\bar{X}$  = Mean $\sigma_n$  = Standard Deviation

TABLE XXII. 39-MONTH IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS

Coupon No. and Phase	Pits Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7504 LIQUID	1- 2	8.5	3.6- 3.8	3.7
	2- 3	5.7	3.8- 5.1	4.5
	3- 4	9.7	5.1-14.2	9.7
	4- 5	17.0	14.2- 7.6	10.9
	5- 6	20.3	7.6-22.9	15.3
	6- 7	26.3	22.9- 8.9	15.9
	7- 8	11.0	8.9- 3.1	6.0
	8- 9	41.7	3.1-20.3	11.7
	9-10	153.2	20.3-37.1	28.7
	10-11	73.8	37.1- 8.9	23.0
	11-12	25.3	8.9-11.2	10.1
	12-13	26.5	11.2- 6.4	8.8
	13-14	31.8	6.4-47.0	26.7
	14-15	35.3	47.0- 5.8	26.4
	15-16	10.3	5.8- 5.1	5.5
	16-17	53.3	5.1-19.8	12.5
	17-18	79.8	19.8-25.4	22.6
	18-19	19.6	25.4- 8.6	17.0
	19-20	11.7	8.6-14.7	11.7
	20-21	31.4	14.7-31.8	23.3
	21-22	79.4	31.8-25.4	28.6
	22-23	38.4	25.4- 9.7	17.6
	23-24	9.9	9.7-10.2	10.0
	24-25	10.9	10.2- 1.5	5.9
	25-26	16.6	1.5- 2.3	1.9
	26-27	2.7	2.3- 3.1	2.7
	27-28	23.2	3.1- 1.8	2.5
	28-29	55.9	1.8- 9.5	5.7
	29-30	36.0	9.5-12.7	11.1
	30-31	34.3	12.7- 5.1	8.9

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TABLE XXII. 39-MONTH IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No. and Phase	Pits Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7504 VAPOR	1- 2	34.9	12.7- 6.4	9.6
	2- 3	46.7	6.4- 5.8	6.1
	3- 4	27.6	5.8- 4.6	5.2
	4- 5	86.7	4.6-16.5	10.6
	5- 6	55.5	16.5- 2.0	9.3
	6- 7	8.4	2.0- 2.0	2.0
	7- 8	10.9	2.0- 3.6	2.8
	8- 9	78.2	3.6-23.9	13.8
	9-10	20.3	23.9- 7.1	15.5
	10-11	36.6	7.1- 7.6	7.4
	11-12	7.9	7.6- 3.6	5.6
	12-13	54.1	3.6-11.2	7.4
	13-14	79.5	11.2- 6.6	8.9
	14-15	16.0	6.6-18.3	12.5
	15-16	56.3	18.3- 9.7	14.0
	16-17	34.7	9.7- 4.8	7.3
	17-18	18.4	4.8-19.3	12.1
	18-19	48.3	19.3-76.2	47.8
	19-20	74.2	76.2-13.7	45.0
	20-21	111.9	13.7- 6.9	10.3
	21-22	32.0	6.9-11.4	9.2
	22-23	30.7	11.4- 6.9	9.2
	23-24	67.2	6.9-14.7	10.8
	24-25	46.2	14.7-15.7	15.2
7524 LIQUID	1- 2	44.1	55.1-25.4	40.3
	2- 3	13.2	25.4-26.4	25.9
	3- 4	28.2	26.4-25.4	25.9
	4- 5	26.4	25.4-21.1	23.3
	5- 6	25.8	21.1-30.5	25.8
	6- 7	41.8	30.5-21.6	26.1

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TABLE XXII. 39-MONTH IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No. and Phase	Pits Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7524 LIQUID (Cont'd)	7- 8	48.9	21.6-25.4	23.5
	8- 9	22.2	25.4-19.1	22.3
	9-10	22.2	19.1-25.4	22.3
	10-11	31.5	25.4-17.3	21.4
	11-12	30.2	17.3-43.2	30.3
	12-13	56.5	43.2-19.1	31.2
	13-14	19.7	19.1-20.3	18.7
	14-15	31.8	20.3-25.4	22.9
	15-16	93.3	25.4-59.7	42.5
	16-17	54.6	59.7-34.3	47.0
	17-18	38.2	34.3-30.5	32.4
	18-19	63.5	30.5-96.5	63.5
	19-20	59.1	96.5-21.6	59.1
	20-21	40.0	21.6-45.7	33.7
	21-22	47.0	45.7-22.9	34.3
	22-23	43.2	22.9-50.8	36.9
	23-24	63.5	50.8-25.4	38.1
7524 VAPOR	1- 2	32.4	25.4-11.9	18.7
	2- 3	15.6	11.9- 8.6	10.3
	3- 4	41.1	8.6-35.6	22.1
	4- 5	27.6	35.6- 5.3	20.5
	5- 6	28.1	5.3-38.1	21.7
	6- 7	31.8	38.1-25.4	31.8
	7- 8	44.5	25.4-33.0	29.2
	8- 9	48.3	33.0-38.10	35.6
	9-10	80.0	38.10-20.3	29.2
	10-11	24.8	20.3-11.4	15.9
	11-12	28.6	11.4-10.2	10.8
	12-13	44.7	10.2-28.4	19.3
	13-14	25.3	28.4-22.1	25.3

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TABLE XXII. 39-MONTH IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No. and Phase	Pits Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7524 VAPOR (Cont'd)	14-15	39.2	22.1-34.3	28.2
	15-16	93.3	34.3-35.6	35.0
	16-17	49.5	35.6-33.0	34.3
	17-18	41.9	33.0-30.5	30.3
	18-19	43.2	30.5-25.4	28.0
	19-20	36.7	25.4-21.6	23.5
	20-21	45.8	21.6-30.5	26.1
	21-22	49.7	30.5-38.1	34.3
	22-23	74.8	38.1-20.1	29.1
7556 LIQUID	1- 2	39.0	3.3- 3.6	3.5
	2- 3	124.3	3.6- 3.8	3.7
	3- 4	131.2	3.8- 4.6	4.2
	4- 5	17.8	4.6- 3.0	3.8
	5- 6	102.1	3.0- 5.6	4.3
	6- 7	44.7	5.6-25.4	15.5
	7- 8	24.8	25.4- 1.3	13.4
	8- 9	73.5	1.3- 3.6	2.5
	9-10	9.1	3.6- 3.0	3.3
	10-11	14.9	3.0- 2.3	2.7
	11-12	127.9	2.3- 7.1	4.7
	12-13	159.8	7.1- 7.6	7.4
	13-14	132.1	7.6- 2.5	5.1
7556 VAPOR	1- 2	58.2	7.1- 7.6	7.4
	2- 3	11.9	7.6-10.2	8.9
	3- 4	21.7	10.2-11.4	10.8
	4- 5	16.5	11.4-21.6	16.5
	5- 6	21.0	21.6-20.3	21.0
	6- 7	75.4	20.3- 8.6	14.5
	7- 8	11.9	8.6-15.2	11.9
	8- 9	26.4	15.2-25.4	20.3

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TABLE XXII. 39-MONTH IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No. and Phase	Pits Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7556 VAPOR (Cont'd)	9-10	17.1	25.4- 8.9	17.2
	10-11	14.0	8.9-19.1	14.0
	11-12	19.7	19.1-20.3	19.7
	12-13	18.4	20.3- 6.4	13.4
	13-14	76.8	6.4-15.2	10.8
	14-15	119.4	15.2-25.4	20.3
	15-16	341.6	25.4-17.8	21.6
	16-17	118.7	17.8-16.5	17.2
7574 LIQUID	1- 2	58.4	74.9-21.6	48.3
	2- 3	82.6	21.6-62.2	41.9
	3- 4	54.0	62.2-45.7	54.0
	4- 5	81.9	45.7-67.3	56.5
	5- 6	48.1	67.3-19.8	43.6
	6- 7	35.3	19.8-50.8	35.3
	7- 8	40.6	50.8-30.5	40.7
	8- 9	27.9	30.5-25.4	28.0
	9-10	25.5	25.4-25.7	25.6
	10-11	25.5	25.7-25.4	25.6
	11-12	59.7	25.4-43.2	34.3
	12-13	40.0	43.2-19.1	31.2
	13-14	46.4	19.1-43.2	31.2
	14-15	128.2	43.2-71.1	57.2
	15-16	50.2	71.1-29.2	50.2
	16-17	57.8	29.2-50.8	40.0
	17-18	66.7	50.8-31.8	41.3
	18-19	57.2	31.8-82.6	57.2
	19-20	42.5	82.6- 2.5	42.6
	20-21	3.0	2.5- 3.6	3.1
	21-22	8.1	3.6-12.7	8.2

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TABLE XXII. 39-MONTH IMMERSION PIT SIZES AND LOCATIONS (Continued)

Coupon No. and Phase	Pits Nos.	Center-Center Pit Separation (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )	Average Diameter of Two Adjacent Pits (cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup> )
7574 VAPOR	1- 2	67.6	71.9-26.7	49.3
	2- 3	41.0	26.7-14.7	20.7
	3- 4	39.8	14.7-14.0	14.4
	4- 5	25.4	14.0-19.1	16.6
	5- 6	16.8	19.1- 3.8	11.5
	6- 7	48.9	3.8-61.0	32.4
	7- 8	48.9	61.0-14.0	37.5
	8- 9	28.1	14.0-33.0	23.5
	9-10	26.7	33.0-20.3	26.7
	10-11	18.8	20.3-17.3	18.8
	11-12	42.9	17.3-25.4	21.4
	12-13	23.7	25.4-22.1	23.8
	13-14	45.1	22.1-68.1	45.1
	14-15	78.5	68.1-88.9	78.5
	15-16	95.3	88.9-101.6	95.3
	16-17	63.5	101.6-25.4	63.5
	17-18	54.6	25.4-61.0	43.2
	18-19	102.5	61.0-116.1	88.6
	19-20	87.9	116.1-29.2	72.7

TABLE XXIII. SUMMARY OF DIMENSIONS AND FREQUENCIES OF PITS  
IN 39-MONTH IMMERSION COUPONS

Coupon Number	Number of Pits Counted in 0.254 cm	Pit Frequency No. $\times 10^3/\text{cm}^2$	Pit Depth cm $\times 10^{-4}$		Pit Area cm $\times 10^{-7}$		Depth/Diameter Ratio	
			Mean	Standard Dev.	Mean	Standard Dev.	Mean	Standard Dev.
7504-Liquid	78	94.3	2.08	7.16	33.80	77.29	0.31	0.31
7504-Vapor	63	61.5	1.52	5.39	28.01	89.86	0.23	0.16
7524-Liquid	60	55.8	3.88	1.56	109.26	150.34	0.13	0.06
7524-Vapor	58	52.1	5.61	3.37	74.88	59.11	0.22	0.15
7556-Liquid	35	19.0	1.14	0.47	4.91	13.24	0.33	0.28
7556-Vapor	43	28.7	1.36	7.16	20.94	15.73	0.10	0.06
7574-Liquid	55	46.9	6.47	3.30	153.55	157.09	0.25	0.22
7574-Vapor	50	38.8	4.17	3.23	216.19	300.85	0.13	0.09
Simple Mean	55.3	49.6	-	-	-	-	-	-
Weighted Mean	-	-	3.35	-	80.6	-	0.22	-
Range	35-78	19.0-94.3	1.14- 6.47	-	4.91- 216.19	-	0.10- 0.33	-



TABLE XXIV. TENSILE MECHANICAL PROPERTIES OF  
39-MONTH IMMERSION TITANIUM COUPONS

Coupon No.	Test Temp (K)	Ultimate Tensile Strength (psi)	Yield Strength (0.2% Offset) (psi)	% Elongation in 0.5 in.
7504-T	298	174,600	169,000	12
7504-B	77	255,600	-	10
7506-T	77	257,300	-	10
7506-B	298	194,600	162,300	14
7507-T	298	176,000	170,000	14
7507-B	298	196,900	170,000	12
7523-T	298	174,600	166,700	8
7523-B	77	255,500	-	10
7524-T	77	255,500	-	10
7524-B	298	194,500	172,000	10
7525-T	298	194,300	168,200	14
7525-B	298	174,200	168,000	10
7526-T	298	185,800	171,300	12
7526-B	298	176,100	169,300	10
7554-T	298	148,400	143,000	18
7554-B	298	147,700	142,600	16
7556-T	298	142,900	137,800	16
7556-B	298	145,700	142,900	16
7573-T	298	145,700	140,200	14
7573-B	298	148,000	140,600	14
7574-T	298	148,000	141,500	20
7574-B	298	150,800	143,100	18

NOTE: T = Top: Vapor Phase F<sub>2</sub> Immersion ExposureB = Bottom: Liquid Phase F<sub>2</sub> Immersion Exposure

### 2.3.6 Analysis of Test Results and Observations

#### 2.3.6.1 F<sub>2</sub> Composition/Chemical Analyses

Means and standard deviations for the residue analysis data (Tables XIV and XIX) were calculated, and are presented in Table XXV. In addition, the analyses of the starting F<sub>2</sub> (Table VII) were converted to the equivalent units, mg/capsule by the calculation:

weight of y, mg/capsule =

$$\frac{y\% \text{ v/v}}{100} \times \frac{\text{Wt F}_2, \text{ g/capsule}}{\text{Molecular Weight of F}_2} \times \text{Mol. Wt. of y} \times 1000 \text{ mg/g}$$

For the constituents reported as "CO<sub>2</sub> + HF", the assumption was made for the calculation that the material consisted of CO<sub>2</sub> only. The results are included in Table XXV. The data indicate, first, that there still are problems in obtaining meaningful analytical data from systems which contain elemental fluorine. The 29-month control test (no titanium) demonstrates this, when compared with initial concentrations and other test sequences.

The much lower impurity contents from the tests compared to the initial fluorine are due to the purification by distillation which occurs when less volatile materials remained in the graduated cylinder during initial fills - - see Section 2.3.4.1(a), paragraph (vi).

The SiF<sub>4</sub> concentration determination is difficult to evaluate. Although the 39 month controls have significant concentrations in all samples, only 3 out of 15 of the titanium-compatibility capsules gave appreciable concentrations; the other 12 were below the detectable limit. It may be that SiF<sub>4</sub> was produced inside those capsules which have measurable amounts, perhaps by reaction between water, fluorine, and glass, if the capsules were incompletely dried or had picked up water during manipulation.

The CO<sub>2</sub> content seems to be about constant, within statistical significance bands.

The content of HF, which is the most corrosive of the impurities which were measured, and of CF<sub>4</sub>, are below the detectability limit in all measurements.

TABLE XXV. COMPARISON OF ANALYSES FOR VOLATILE IMPURITIES IN FLUORINE (mg PER CAPSULE)

	SiF <sub>4</sub>			CO <sub>2</sub>			HF	CF <sub>4</sub>
	$\bar{X}$	n	$\sigma$	$\bar{X}$	n	$\sigma$	$\bar{X}$	$\bar{X}$
Pre-Test*	<36	1	-	7.2**	1	-		<42
29-Mo. Control	<0.01	2	-	<0.01	2	-	<0.04	<0.01
39-Mo. Control	0.223	4	0.171	0.433	4	0.335	<0.04	<0.01
29-Mo. Titanium	0.025 (0.1)	4 (1)	0.05 (--)	0.305	4	0.172	<0.04	<0.01
39-Mo. Titanium	0.068 (0.38)	11 (2)	0.152 (0.035)	0.265	10	0.075	<0.04	<0.01

\* Calculated for 15.5g of F<sub>2</sub> from data in Table VII.\*\* Based on assumption that "CO<sub>2</sub> + HF" is all CO<sub>2</sub>.

### 2.3.6.2 Visual, Microscopic and Electron-microscope Examinations

Discoloration and pitting were observed for both the 29 months and 39 months exposure periods. There was no visual distinction between the two exposure periods.

### 2.3.6.3 Metallography, Pitting Analysis, and Weight Changes

The technique used to prepare the coupons for metallography and pitting analysis includes immersion in an acid aqueous solution. Because titanium fluorides are soluble in or decomposed by water, this step probably removed most of the corrosion products, but the unreacted titanium surface should not have been affected. Therefore the metallography and pitting studies are believed to apply to the condition of the substrate metal, and not to the condition of a coating of corrosion product film.

Metallography has not revealed the development of any significant change of mode of attack by the fluorine.

Accumulated statistical data for the pre-exposure and post exposure periods were derived from the statistical results where the mean values were determined from the following equation:

$$\text{MEAN } \bar{X} = \frac{\sum (\bar{X}_1 \times N_1 + \bar{X}_2 \times N_2 \dots)}{\sum N}$$

Where:  $\bar{X}$  = Mean is the total average of all specimens with the same parameters.

$\bar{x}$  = Average of values for one specimen.

$N_1, N_2$  = Number of readings from each specimen.

$N$  = Total number of sets of  $\bar{X}_1 \bar{X}_2 \bar{X}_3 \bar{X}_4$  averages.

This treatment of the data was used to generate Tables XXVI and XXVII for pit dimensions and for pit frequencies, respectively.

TABLE XXVI. SUMMARY OF PIT DIMENSIONS

Exposure Time/ Fluorine Phase	Condition/ Surface Finish	Pit Depth cm x 10 <sup>-4</sup>	Pit Area cm <sup>2</sup> x 10 <sup>-7</sup>	Depth/Diameter Ratio
None	A/16	1.25	0.88	0.27
29 Months/Liquid	A/16	1.58	24.70	0.27
39 Months/Liquid	A/16	1.14	4.91	0.33
29 Months/Vapor	A/16	1.74	1.10	0.58
39 Months/Vapor	A/16	1.36	20.94	0.10
29 Months/All	A/16	1.64	16.01	0.38
39 Months/All	A/16	1.26	13.75	0.20
None	A/64	1.74	1.09	0.83
29 Months/Liquid	A/64	5.45	15.86	0.59
39 Months/Liquid	A/64	6.47	153.55	0.25
29 Months/Vapor	A/64	6.30	21.30	0.76
39 Months/Vapor	A/64	4.17	216.19	0.13
29 Months/All	A/64	5.99	19.29	0.70
39 Months/All	A/64	5.38	183.40	0.19
None	A/ALL	1.41	0.95	0.45
29 Months/All	A/ALL	5.16	18.67	0.64
39 Months/All	A/ALL	3.62	111.10	0.19
None	H/16	1.07	1.37	0.52
29 Months/Liquid	H/16	2.06	4.59	0.31
39 Months/Liquid	H/16	2.08	33.80	0.31
29 Months/Vapor	H/16	2.11	4.44	0.35
39 Months/Vapor	H/16	1.52	28.01	0.23
29 Months/All	H/16	2.08	4.53	0.33
39 Months/All	H/16	1.83	31.21	0.27
None	H/64	1.72	1.52	0.85
29 Months/Liquid	H/64	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	
39 Months/Liquid	H/64	3.88	109.26	0.13
29 Months/Vapor	H/64	6.02	20.00	0.38
39 Months/Vapor	H/64	5.61	74.88	0.22
29 Months/All	H/64	6.02	20.00	0.38
39 Months/All	H/64	4.73	92.36	0.17
None	H/ALL	1.30	1.42	0.64
29 Months/All	H/ALL	3.27	9.20	0.35
39 Months/All	H/ALL	3.15	59.07	0.22
None	ALL / ALL	1.35	1.23	0.56
29 Months/All	ALL / ALL	4.51	15.39	0.54
39 Months/All	ALL / ALL	2.76	80.61	0.21

1 Not Tested

TABLE XXVII. SUMMARY OF PIT FREQUENCY PER UNIT AREA

Exposure Time/ Fluorine Phase	Condition/ Surface Finish	Measured Number of Pits in 0.25 cm	Calculated Pit Frequency 10 <sup>3</sup> Number Pits/cm <sup>2</sup>
None	A/16	9.5	1.55
29 Months/Liquid	A/16	12.0	2.20
39 Months/Liquid	A/16	35.0	19.00
29 Months/Vapor	A/16	7.0	0.80
39 Months/Vapor	A/16	43.0	28.70
None	A/64	9.0	1.30
29 Months/Liquid	A/64	19.0	5.60
39 Months/Liquid	A/64	55.0	46.90
29 Months/Vapor	A/64	34.0	17.90
39 Months/Vapor	A/64	50.0	38.80
29 Months/A11	A/16	9.5	1.50
39 Months/A11	A/16	39.0	23.85
29 Months/A11	A/64	26.5	11.75
39 Months/A11	A/64	52.5	42.85
None	A/ALL	9.3	1.47
29 Months/Liquid	A/ALL	15.5	3.90
39 Months/Liquid	A/ALL	45.0	32.95
29 Months/Vapor	A/ALL	20.5	9.35
39 Months/Vapor	A/ALL	46.5	33.75
29 Months/A11	A/ALL	17.6	6.10
39 Months/A11	A/ALL	45.8	33.35
None	H/16	13.0	2.73
29 Months/Liquid	H/16	11.5	2.05
39 Months/Liquid	H/16	78.0	94.30
29 Months/Vapor	H/16	7.0	0.85
39 Months/Vapor	H/16	63.0	61.50
None	H/64	14.5	3.45
29 Months/Liquid	H/64	11.0	1.90
39 Months/Liquid	H/64	60.0	55.80
29 Months/Vapor	H/64	16.5	4.25
39 Months/Vapor	H/64	58.0	52.10
29 Months/A11	H/16	9.3	1.45
39 Months/A11	H/16	70.5	77.90
29 Months/A11	H/64	14.7	3.47
39 Months/A11	H/64	59.0	53.95
None	H/ALL	13.5	2.97
29 Months/Liquid	H/ALL	11.3	2.00
39 Months/Liquid	H/ALL	69.0	75.05
29 Months/Vapor	H/ALL	11.8	2.55
39 Months/Vapor	H/ALL	60.5	56.80
29 Months/A11	H/ALL	11.6	2.31
39 Months/A11	H/ALL	64.8	65.93

Comparison of the pitting analysis results for the 3 classes of exposure shows a considerable change in the character of the metal surface. Combined data from all tests on pit dimensions is presented in Table XXVI and on pit frequencies in Table XXVII. As would be expected, pit depth, pit area, and pit frequency are greater for the 64 RMS finish than for the 16 RMS finish. Data on the average character of the surfaces is presented in Table XXVIII. Review of the average surface data shows a significant, accelerating increase both in the number of pits and in the average area of the pits. The number of pits doubles in 29 months and then is multiplied by 10 in the next 10 months, about 20-fold overall; the average area is multiplied by 13 in the first period and by 6 in the second, about 75-fold over the whole test.

The average pit area and the number of pits per unit area (Table XXVII) are plotted against the immersion period in Figure 10. These graphs emphasize the increase over the final ten month period. A plot of the total pit volume per unit area (penetration rate) is given as a function of time in Figure 11. The notable characteristic is not the absolute penetration rate at 39 months,  $4.5 \times 10^{-5}$  cm/year, but rather its acceleration from  $6.5 \times 10^{-6}$  cm/year at 29 months, an increase of 7 times.

On the other hand, the change in average pit depth is only about 2-fold, and apparently levels off. In addition, there is an approximate correspondence between the number of pits on the pre-exposure coupons and the number of pits appreciably deeper than average on the 39 month coupons. The penetration of these deeper pits may be of significance for longer exposures. The maximum pit depths measured, on 64 RMS coupons, are shown in Table XXIX.

The weight changes shown in Table XV and XXI and combined in Table XXX represent an average weight gain of 0.31%, relative to the initial weights of the complete specimens. After 39 months, the weight gain has dropped to 0.13%. The decrease is shown by all 4 conditions of the specimens. The probability bands are independent at the  $1\sigma$  level, but they overlap at the  $2\sigma$  level of significance.

TABLE XXVIII. CHANGES IN PIT SIZES AND DISTRIBUTION

	Pre-Immersion	29-Month	39-Month
Center-center spacing, cm	$2.2 \times 10^{-2}$	$1.8 \times 10^{-2}$	$4.6 \times 10^{-3}$
Number per $\text{cm}^2$	$2.2 \times 10^{-3}$	$3.9 \times 10^3$	$49.6 \times 10^3$
Average depth, cm	$1.34 \times 10^{-4}$	$4.50 \times 10^{-4}$	$3.35 \times 10^{-4}$
Average area, $\text{cm}^2$	$1.23 \times 10^{-7}$	$15.4 \times 10^{-7}$	$80.6 \times 10^{-7}$
Average depth/diameter ratio	0.67	0.54	0.22
Total pit volume* per unit area ( $\text{cm}^3/\text{cm}^2$ ) = Average depth of material removed, cm	$3.36 \times 10^{-8}$	$2.70 \times 10^{-6}$	$1.34 \times 10^{-4}$

\* Assumes cylindrical shape:  $V = \text{area} \times \text{depth} \times \text{number}$ .



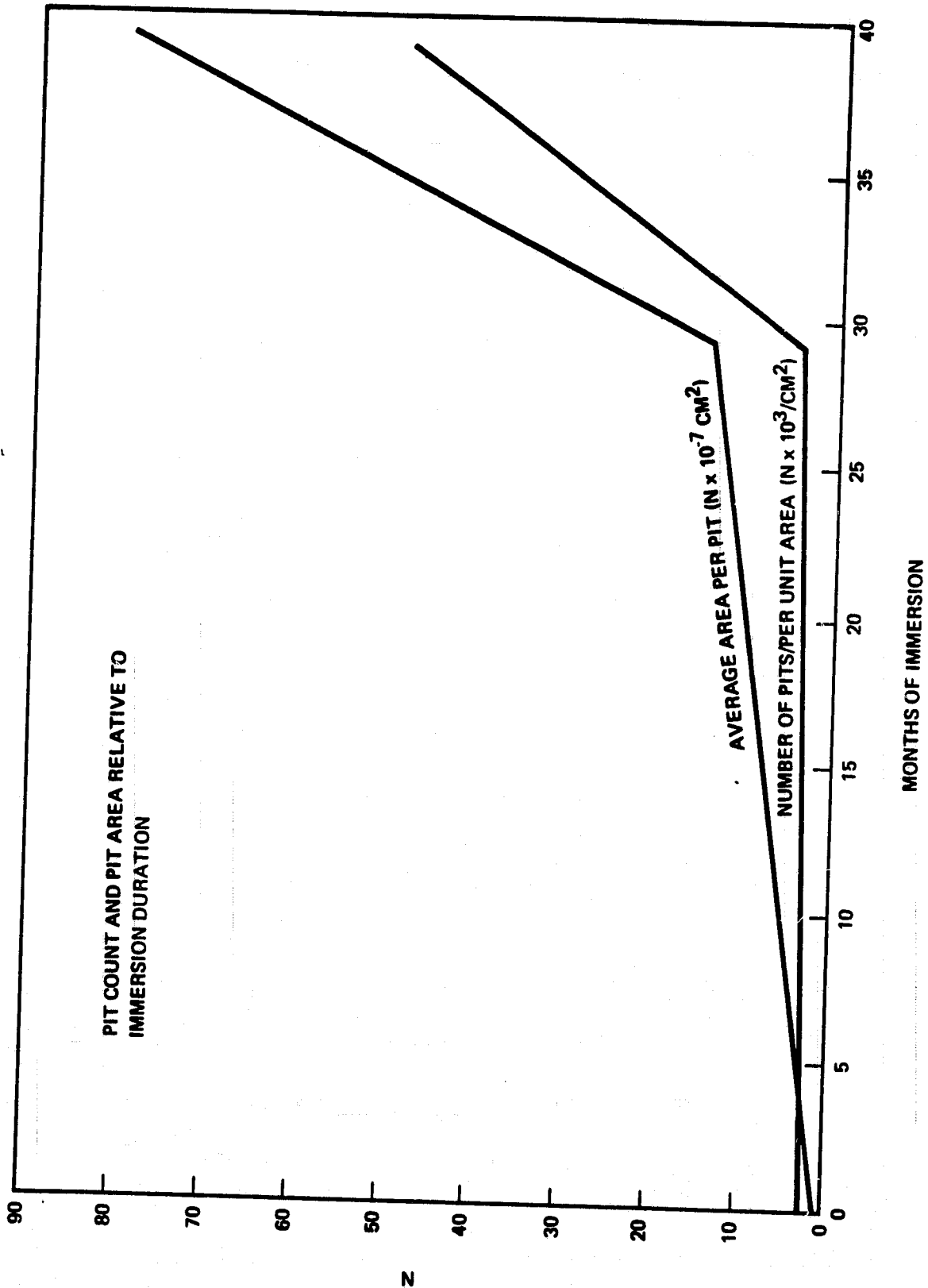


Figure 10. Variation of Pitting with Time

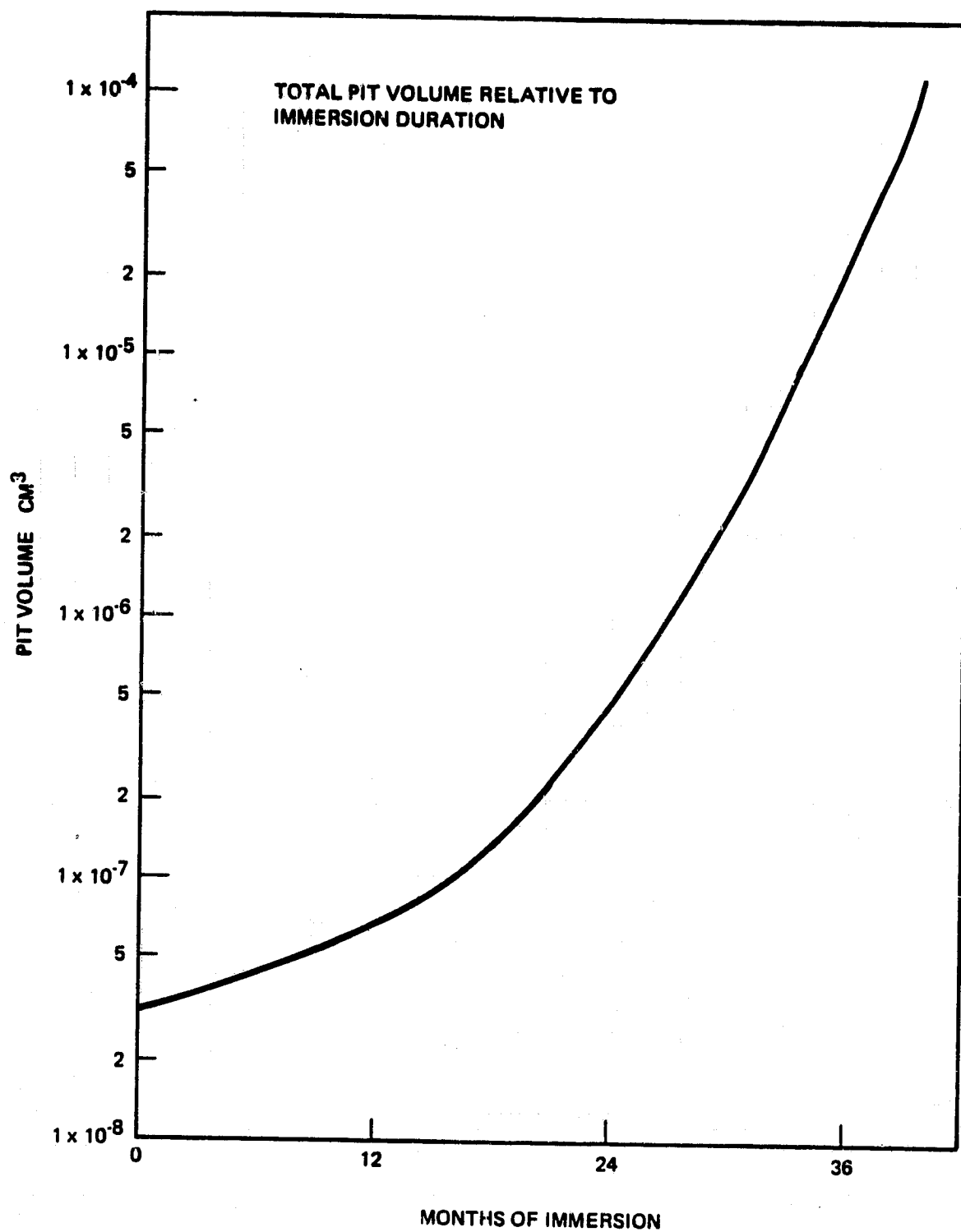


Figure 11. Variation of Volume of Titanium Removed with Time

TABLE XXIX. MAXIMUM PIT DEPTHS

<u>Coupon</u>	<u>Condition</u>	<u>Test Category</u>	<u>Depth(cm)</u>
7520	H-64	Pre	$0.42 \times 10^{-3}$
7570	A-64	Pre	0.42
7527-L	H-64	29 Mo.	1.8
7527-V	H-64	29 Mo.	2.1
7572-V	A-64	29 Mo.	2.0
7575-L	A-64	29 Mo.	0.89
7575-V	A-64	29 Mo.	1.1
7524-L	H-64	39 Mo.	0.89
7524-V	H-64	39 Mo.	1.5
7574-L	A-64	39 Mo.	1.5
7574-V	A-64	39 Mo.	1.5

TABLE XXX. WEIGHT CHANGE VERSUS EXPOSURE TIME

Exposure Time	Condition/ Surface Finish	Average Weight Gain (%)
29 Months	A/16	0.35
39 Months	A/16	0.21
29 Months	A/64	0.42
39 Months	A/64	0.08
29 Months	A/ALL	0.38
39 Months	A/ALL	0.13
29 Months	H/16	0.29
39 Months	H/16	0.09
29 Months	H/64	0.37
39 Months	H/64	0.16
29 Months	H/ALL	0.33
39 Months	H/ALL	0.13
29 Months	ALL/ALL	0.35
39 Months	ALL/ALL	0.13

Data from this test was compared to those obtained from a 14 month exposure period (Reference 4). The pit frequency from the 14 month exposure was  $4$  to  $9 \times 10^4$  pits/cm<sup>2</sup>, approximately the same as the pit frequency found after the 39 month exposure ( $1.9$  to  $9.4 \times 10^4$  pits/cm<sup>2</sup>), but the 29 month exposure had a much lower pit frequency ( $8$  to  $34.7 \times 10^2$  pits/cm<sup>2</sup>). Pit areas appeared to be smaller after the 14 months of exposure:  $1 \times 10^{-8}$  to  $6 \times 10^{-6}$  cm<sup>2</sup>/14 months;  $1.5 \times 10^{-6}$  cm<sup>2</sup>/29 months (average);  $8.1 \times 10^{-6}$  cm<sup>2</sup>/36 months (average). The maximum pit depth increase markedly after the 14 months exposure:  $8 \times 10^{-4}$  cm for 14 months;  $2 \times 10^{-3}$  cm for 29 months; and,  $1.5 \times 10^{-3}$  cm for 36 months.

In the weight changes measured after 29 months, it is noted that annealed material of 64 RMS finish shows a statistically significant greater weight gain (95% probability) than the other materials. This is not the case for the 39 month tests; while all materials are indistinguishable statistically, and the A-64 specimens showed the lowest mean gain. Recall the discussion in Section 2.3.5.4(d); it is probable that the weight change data are not independent of post-test handling and hence have little predictive value.

#### 2.3.6.4 Mechanical Properties (Tensile)

A summary of all the tensile testing is presented in Table XXXI. The test data show that the mechanical properties of the titanium specimens when tested at either 298 K or 77 K are not degraded by the liquid/gas fluorine exposure. It should be noted that this testing at the slow strain rate cannot be used to predict the strength of the titanium at appreciably faster strain rates (i.e., impact loading). The pits in the titanium have increased in depth and area and the larger pits may lower the impact strength.

#### 2.3.7 Discussion of Results

The compatibility tests described in this report were conducted with fluorine which had been subjected to cryogenic single-plate (pot) distillation. This occurred because of the technique used to fill the test capsules. The purity of the fluorine was probably approximately that recorded for control samples in Table XXV, and not the pre-test material. The very slow rate of attack by the fluorine on the alloy coupons is in accord with this assumption.

Variations in the attack on the alloy do not correlate very significantly with the fluorine phase, nor with the condition of the Ti 6AL-4V. The best correlation is between pit development and exposure duration. However, there is appreciable variability from capsule to capsule which share the same test conditions. From general familiarity with fluorine compatibility, it is believed that these variations reflect differences in the initial condition of the specimens and capsules when the fluorine was introduced. The prime variable suspected in trace water content. Although the assemblies were treated similarly, there was no effort to attain identical histories, and the initial water content (absorbed on metal and glass) was not measured.

Because the test data indicate that corrosion rates do not level off in the 3 year test period, the compatibility/corrosion rates for longer periods cannot be predicted. The lack of leveling off may be related to the apparent fragility of thicker films of fluoride. This may turn out to be significant for longer exposures.

The severity of pitting corrosion of Ti 6 AL-4V in F<sub>2</sub> appears to increase with exposure duration. However, the currently available data are not sufficient for calculation of corrosion rates and design life for contact in excess of 3 years.

Because the observed corrosion effects involves pit formation and pit depth increase, the behavior of F<sub>2</sub>-exposed Ti-6AL-4V under dynamic loads is unknown and cannot be predicted from currently available data.

#### 2.4 APPLICATION IN DESIGN

For the design of a specific LF<sub>2</sub> system, selection of structural materials must be based on knowledge of various modes of interaction between the fluorine and the materials under all system operation modes and on evaluation of how such interactions affect the performance of the system. The user should consult the NASA reports "Fluorine Systems Handbook," NASA CR-72064, July 1, 1967 and "Experience With Fluorine and Its Safe Use as a Propellant" by D. L. Bond et al, JPL Publication 79-64, June 30, 1979, before using the data in this document.

TABLE XXXI. SUMMARY OF TENSILE MECHANICAL PROPERTY DATA

Exposure Time/ Fluorine Phase	Condition <sup>2/</sup> (Heat Treatment/ Surface Finish)	Test Temp.	Ultimate Tensile Strength (KSI)			Yield Strength (KSI)			Elongation (1/2 Inch Gage Length)		
			Range	Mean	Standard Deviation	Range	Mean	Standard Deviation	Range	Mean	Standard Deviation
0	A/16	298 K	146.7 to 147.3	147.1	0.32	138.2 to 139.6	138.9	0.70	0	16.0	0
29 Months/Liquid	A/16	298 K	1/	146.2	1/	1/	139.1	1/	1/	20.0	1/
39 Months/Liquid	A/16	298 K	145.7 to 147.7	146.7	1.41	142.6 to 142.9	142.8	0.21	0	16.0	0
29 Months/Vapor	A/16	298 K	1/	150.4	1/	1/	147.2	1/	1/	16.0	1/
39 Months/Vapor	A/16	298 K	142.9 to 148.4	145.7	3.89	137.8 to 143.0	140.4	3.68	16 to 18	17.0	1.41
0	A/64	298 K	1/	146.5	1/	1/	139.1	1/	1/	16.0	1/
29 Months/Liquid	A/64	298 K	1/	149.2	1/	1/	141.3	1/	1/	18.0	1/
39 Months/Liquid	A/64	298 K	148.0 to 150.8	149.4	1.98	140.6 to 143.1	141.9	1.77	14 to 18	16.0	2.83
29 Months/Vapor	A/64	298 K	1/	149.6	1/	1/	140.1	1/	1/	18.0	1/
39 Months/Vapor	A/64	298 K	145.7 to 148.1	146.9	1.70	140.2 to 141.5	140.9	0.92	14 to 20	17.0	4.24
0	H/16	298 K	175.0 to 176.6	175.8	0.80	161.9 to 165.2	163.5	1.66	10 to 12	10.7	1.15
29 Months/Liquid	H/16	298 K	173.1 to 174.4	173.8	0.92	163.5 to 165.1	164.3	1.13	14 to 16	15.0	1.41
39 Months/Liquid	H/16	298 K	194.6 to 196.9	195.8	1.63	162.3 to 170.0	166.2	5.44	12 to 14	13.0	1.41
29 Months/Vapor	H/16	298 K	177.0 to 177.8	177.4	0.57	166.5 to 167.9	167.2	0.99	0	16.0	0
39 Months/Vapor	H/16	298 K	174.6 to 176.0	175.3	0.99	169.0 to 170.0	169.5	0.71	12 to 14	13.0	1.41
0	H/64	298 K	1/	173.8	1/	1/	159.4	1/	1/	13.0	1/
29 Months/Liquid	H/64	298 K	175.2 to 177.0	176.1	1.27	165.2 to 166.2	165.7	0.71	0	16.0	0
39 Months/Liquid	H/64	298 K	174.2 to 194.3	181.5	11.10	168.0 to 172.0	169.8	2.04	0	10.0	0
29 Months/Vapor	H/64	298 K	174.6 to 177.5	176.1	2.05	164.3 to 166.8	165.6	1.77	0	14.0	0
39 Months/Vapor	H/64	298 K	174.6 to 194.3	184.9	9.88	166.7 to 171.3	168.7	2.35	8 to 12	10.0	2.0
0	A/16	77 K	225.8 to 231.7	228.8	4.17	3/	3/	3/	8 to 9	8.5	0.71
29 Months/Liquid	A/16	77 K	1/	221.5	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	12.0	1/
39 Months/Liquid	A/16	77 K	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
29 Months/Vapor	A/16	77 K	4/	4/	4/	3/	3/	3/	4/	4/	4/
39 Months/Vapor	A/16	77 K	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
0	A/64	77 K	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
29 Months/Liquid	A/64	77 K	1/	224.0	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	7.0	1/
39 Months/Liquid	A/64	77 K	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
29 Months/Vapor	A/64	77 K	1/	250.3	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	6.0	1/
39 Months/Vapor	A/64	77 K	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
0	H/16	77 K	256.0 to 256.4	256.2	0.28	3/	3/	3/	0	6.0	0
29 Months/Liquid	H/16	77 K	1/	244.4	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	8.0	1/
39 Months/Liquid	H/16	77 K	1/	255.6	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	10.0	1/
29 Months/Vapor	H/16	77 K	4/	4/	4/	3/	3/	3/	4/	4/	4/
39 Months/Vapor	H/16	77 K	1/	257.3	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	10.0	1/
0	H/64	77 K	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
29 Months/Liquid	H/64	77 K	1/	254.2	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	5.0	1/
39 Months/Liquid	H/64	77 K	1/	255.5	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	10.0	1/
29 Months/Vapor	H/64	77 K	1/	251.1	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	5.0	1/
39 Months/Vapor	H/64	77 K	1/	255.5	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	10.0	1/
0	A/ALL	298 K	146.5 to 147.3	146.9	0.39	138.2 to 139.6	139.0	0.58	0	16.0	0
29 Months/Liquid	A/ALL	298 K	146.2 to 146.5	146.4	0.21	139.1 to 141.3	140.2	1.56	0	16.0	0
39 Months/Liquid	A/ALL	298 K	145.7 to 150.8	148.0	2.10	140.6 to 143.1	142.3	1.15	14 to 18	16.0	1.63
29 Months/Vapor	A/ALL	298 K	149.6 to 150.4	150.0	0.57	140.1 to 147.2	143.7	5.02	16 to 18	17.0	1.41
39 Months/Vapor	A/ALL	298 K	142.9 to 148.4	146.3	2.55	137.8 to 143.0	140.6	2.20	14 to 20	17.0	2.58
29 Months/ALL	A/ALL	298 K	146.2 to 150.4	148.2	2.14	139.1 to 147.2	141.9	3.63	16 to 18	16.5	1.00
39 Months/ALL	A/ALL	298 K	142.9 to 150.8	147.2	2.36	137.8 to 143.1	141.5	1.86	14 to 20	16.5	2.07
0	H/ALL	298 K	173.8 to 176.6	175.1	1.40	159.4 to 165.2	162.6	2.96	10 to 13	11.7	1.53
29 Months/Liquid	H/ALL	298 K	173.1 to 177.0	174.9	1.63	163.5 to 166.2	165.0	1.12	14 to 16	15.5	1.00
39 Months/Liquid	H/ALL	298 K	174.2 to 196.9	187.3	11.12	162.3 to 172.0	168.3	3.66	10 to 14	11.2	1.79
29 Months/Vapor	H/ALL	298 K	174.6 to 177.8	176.7	1.45	164.3 to 166.8	166.4	1.51	14 to 16	15.0	1.15
39 Months/Vapor	H/ALL	298 K	176.0 to 194.3	181.1	8.76	166.7 to 171.3	169.0	1.75	8 to 14	12.0	2.45
29 Months/ALL	H/ALL	298 K	173.1 to 177.8	175.8	1.72	163.5 to 166.8	165.7	1.43	14 to 16	15.25	1.04
39 Months/ALL	H/ALL	298 K	174.2 to 196.9	184.2	9.98	162.3 to 172.0	168.7	2.73	8 to 14	11.6	2.07
0	A/ALL	77 K	225.8 to 231.7	228.8	4.17	3/	3/	3/	8 to 9	8.5	0.71
29 Months/Liquid	A/ALL	77 K	221.5 to 224.0	222.8	1.77	3/	3/	3/	7 to 12	9.5	3.54
39 Months/Liquid	A/ALL	77 K	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
29 Months/Vapor	A/ALL	77 K	1/	250.0	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	6.0	1/
39 Months/Vapor	A/ALL	77 K	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
29 Months/ALL	A/ALL	77 K	221.5 to 250.0	231.9	15.78	3/	3/	3/	6 to 12	8.3	3.21
39 Months/ALL	A/ALL	77 K	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/	3/
0	H/ALL	77 K	256.0 to 256.4	256.2	0.28	3/	3/	3/	0	6.0	0
29 Months/Liquid	H/ALL	77 K	244.4 to 254.2	249.3	6.93	3/	3/	3/	5 to 8	6.5	2.12
39 Months/Liquid	H/ALL	77 K	255.5 to 255.6	255.6	0.07	3/	3/	3/	0	10.0	0
29 Months/Vapor	H/ALL	77 K	1/	251.0	1/	3/	3/	3/	1/	5.0	1/
39 Months/Vapor	H/ALL	77 K	255.5 to 257.3	256.4	1.27	3/	3/	3/	0	10.0	0
29 Months/ALL	H/ALL	77 K	244.4 to 254.2	249.9	5.00	3/	3/	3/	5 to 8	6.0	1.73
39 Months/ALL	H/ALL	77 K	255.5 to 257.3	256.0	0.88	3/	3/	3/	0	10.0	0

1/ One specimen  
2/ A - Annealed  
H - Heat treat hardened  
3/ Not tested  
4/ Specimen broke in holding fixture

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### 3. CONCLUSIONS

- Based on the immersion test results for up to 3 years, titanium 6Al-4V is compatible with fluorine at 77 K for periods of as long as 3 years.
- Titanium 6AL-4V with an initially smoother surface is more resistant to pitting than the same alloy with a rougher surface.
- Because the test data indicate that corrosion rates do not level off in the 3 year period, the compatibility for longer periods cannot be predicted.
- Because the observed corrosion mechanism involves pit formation and pit depth increase, the behavior of the F<sub>2</sub>-exposed titanium under dynamic loads is unknown and cannot be predicted.
- The tensile strength and ductility of the 6AL-4V titanium alloy, when tested at a slow strain rate, have not been degraded by the three year exposure to the vapor and liquid fluorine.
- There appears to be no significant difference between the corrosion resistance of annealed and heat treated titanium.
- The 64 RMS specimens appear to corrode at a rate approximately three times that of the 16 RMS specimens.
- The size and number of pits increases with time, but there is insufficient data to determine the corrosion rate function.



- As the pits continue to increase in number and size with exposure to the vapor and liquid fluorine, there may be a significant drop in the titanium fracture toughness.
- There is a possibility that long duration exposure to  $F_2$  results in fragile corrosion films which can crack away and result in significant solid particle contamination of the  $F_2$ .

#### 4. RECOMMENDATIONS

- (1) It is recommended that fracture toughness testing of Ti-6AL-4V be conducted in liquid and vapor fluorine environments at contemplated storage temperature and stress conditions. The increase in pitting severity with time may eventually lead to development of critical crack depth thereby resulting in catastrophic fracture at stress level below the yield strength of the material.
- (2) It is recommended that additional tests including longer terms exposures be conducted to provide data which can be used for developing a corrosion rate equation.
- (3) It is recommended that design curves for long term storage of Ti-6AL-4V alloy in F<sub>2</sub> environments be generated using fracture toughness data and corrosion rate data. The design curves should include life expectancy projection based on stress levels, F<sub>2</sub> conditions, temperature, and alloy conditions.
- (4) It is recommended that the strength and structure of fluoride corrosion films on titanium be studied as a function of exposure time.

New Technology

No reportable items of new technology have been identified.

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APPENDIX A  
TITANIUM 6AL-4V  
CERTIFICATION AND ANALYSIS

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<b>PHYSICAL PROPERTIES</b>														
HEAT #	YIELD STRENGTH PSI	TENSILE STRENGTH PSI	ELONG % IN 2"	RED. OF AREA %	HARDNESS	REMARKS	TEST #							
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		T	138	152	10			4.0
		L	150	161	11			4.0
		T	130	149	10			4.0
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APPENDIX B

TITANIUM 6AL-4V SPECIMENS  
HEAT TREAT AND SURFACE FINISH  
METHOD, CERTIFICATION, AND TEST

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A/C PRIME		

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TENSILE REQUIREMENTS		U/T	YIELD
		ELONG	R.A.
		NO. COUPONS TO PULL	

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## MECHANICAL FABRICATION INSPECTION REQUEST

REG. NO.			
Q. NO.			
DATE 8-19-75	ENGINEER L. TOTH		
REQUESTED BY L. TOTH	BLDG. 125	ROOM 224	EXT. 3225
DRAWING NO.	QUANTITY	SERIAL NO.	I.R. NO. A 3413
TITLE OR DESCRIPTION METALLIC SPECIMEN, DOUBLE DOGBONE			PROJECT NO. 9-4-75
ACC. NO. 306-12103-0-3840			
DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS, SKETCH, ETC.			
<p>Inspect parts per attached drawing dated 8-19-75 and as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Ten (10) parts compliance with <math>\sqrt{16}</math> finish</li><li>2. Six (6) parts compliance with <math>\sqrt{64}</math> finish</li></ol> <p>Notes</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Cross reference IR No. A 1914</li><li>2. Material is 6AL-4V Titanium, annealed condition. Notch on end of part is used to identify annealed condition (reference note 8 on dwg).</li><li>3. Determine typical surface finish of each part, and note value on each envelope</li></ol> <p>ORIGINAL PAGE IS OF POOR QUALITY</p>			
DELIVER TO P. WILLSON	BLDG. 125	ROOM 224	DATE REQUIRED 8-29-75

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or sooner JPL 2726 R2/71

# INSPECTION REPORT

I. R. NO. A 3413

**JET PROPULSION LABORATORY**  
*California Institute of Technology*  
 4800 Oak Grove Dr. / Pasadena, Calif. 91103

SHEET 1 OF 1

MO.	DAY	YR
9	4	75

PROGRAM 306	REF. DESIG. N/A	S/N: N/A	NOMENCLATURE METALLIC SPECIMEN				P.O. N/A	REQ. NO. N/A			
R1D		SUB ASSY Specimen	ACCT. CODE NO. 306-12103-0-3840				REG. NO. Q 30915		CONTRACT NO. N/A		
OPERATION AFFECTED Dim Insp		QTY. REC. 16	CERTS	MAT'L	HEAT TREAT	STRESS R.	FLUR. PEN	X-RAY	ULTRA SON.	OTHER	SUPPLIER
DWG/PART NO. 10056727	REV. B	CONFIG. N/A	REQ.	N/A							JPL
WHERE INSP. PERFORMED		MRB NO.	FURN.	N/A							
SOURCE	JPL	SAF	ETR								
COG. ENG. L. Toth	EXT. 3225	LEVEL OF INSP.				TYPE HARDWARE				TRAVELER NO. N/A	
SHIP		REC.	IN-PROC.	TEST	FINAL	FLT.	PROTO	TA	SE		
STATUS N/A	SPEC. NO. N/A	TYPE N/A				LOT NO. N/A				INSP. LEVEL CHK. 100%	

ITEM	ZONE	DISCREPANCIES	DISP.	REMARKS	STAMP
1		.030 $\pm$ .001 Thickness is up to .032 to .033 MAX.			
2		Flat within .0025/in is .016 ONE SPECIMEN (#3)			
3		No MATERIAL certification			
4		No PASSIVATION certification			
		NOTE:		I.T.T.H	
		① Assign test not pending		7-4-75	
		② SEE actual dims recorded ON EACH ENVELOPE.			

**INSPECTED BY**

**SIGN, STAMP, DATE**

ITEM

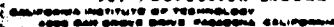
**SUPPLEMENTARY INFO./CORRECTIVE ACTION**

Note: These units are not  
slight

QTY. ACCP'T.	QTY. REJ.	PARTS REC. BY	
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COG. ENG.	DATE	Q. A. ENG.	DATE
F. T. T. H	9-9-75		

## ACCOMPANY HARDWARE

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**I. R. NO. 239039**

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### CORRECTIVE ACTION

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PARTS REC. BY

COG. ENG.

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**Q. A. ENG.**

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### ACCOMPANY HARDWARE

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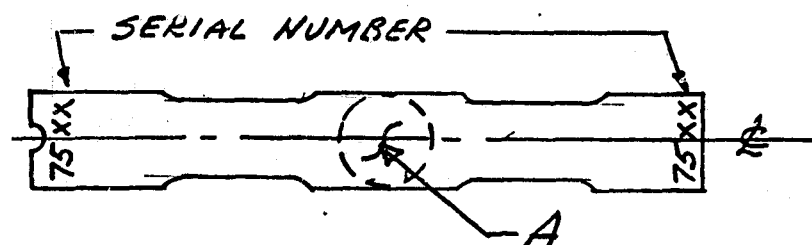


## MECHANICAL FABRICATION INSPECTION REQUEST

REG. NO.
Q. NO. <b>Q30918</b>
P.O. NO.
I.R. NO.
PROJECT NO. <b>R/D</b>
ACC. NO. <b>306-12103-0-3840</b>

DATE <b>FEB 23, 1976</b>	ENGINEER <b>L. TOTH</b>
REQUESTED BY <b>L. TOTH</b>	BLDG. <b>125</b> ROOM <b>224</b> EXT. <b>3225</b>
DRAWING NO. <b>10056227B</b>	QUANTITY <b>5</b> SERIAL NO. <b>NOTED</b>
TITLE OR DESCRIPTION <b>Metallic Specimen Double Dogbone (Special parts - annealed condition)</b>	

DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS, SKETCH, ETC.



Determine surface finish on both sides of specimen in center portion, A, and record below:

Serial Number	I.D. Side rms	Opposite Side rms
7560	<u>12 RMS</u>	<u>14 RMS</u>
7561	<u>17 RMS</u>	<u>15 RMS</u>
7562	<u>15 RMS</u>	<u>14 RMS</u>
7576	<u>42 RMS</u>	<u>42 RMS</u>
7577	<u>41 RMS</u>	<u>41 RMS</u>

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DELIVER TO <b>P. Willson or L. TOTH</b>	BLDG. <b>125</b> ROOM <b>224</b>	DATE REQUIRED <b>MAR 2, 1976 OV.</b>
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# INSPECTION REPORT

I. R. NO. A 13137

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PROGRAM 010	REF. DESIG. 17K	S/N NOTED * BELOW	NOMENCLATURE SPECIMEN DOUBLE-DIGIT		P.O. N/A	REQ. NO. N/A	
SUB ASSY NA		SPECIMEN DOUBLE-DIGIT		ACCT. CODE NO. 306-103-0-3840	REG. NO. Q20919	CONTRACT NO. N4	
OPERATION AFFECTED SURFACE FINISH TINS		QTY. REC. 5	CERTS	MAT'L	HEAT TREAT	STRESS R.	FLUR. PEN
DWG/PART NO. 10056227	REV. B	CONFIG. N/A	REQ.	NA			
WHERE INSP. PERFORMED		MRB NO.	FURN.	NA			
SOURCE JPL	SAF	ETR	NA				
COG. ENG. L. TOTTH	EXT. 3225	LEVEL OF INSP.			TYPE HARDWARE		TRAVELER NO. N/A
SHIP		REC.	IN-PROC.	TEST	FINAL	FLT.	PROTO
STATUS NA	SPEC. NO. NA	TYPE NA		LOT NO. NA	INSP. LEVEL CHK. 100%		
ITEM	ZONE	DISCREPANCIES			DISP.	REMARKS	STAMP
1	1	3 ALL SURFACES 14 TO 8				Special parts?	
		SH 7576 FINISH IS (42 RMS)				read for	
		BOTH SIDES. SH 7577 FINISH				R/AD Application	
		IS (41 RMS) BOTH SIDES.					
						Finish is	
						acceptable	
		* SURFACE FINISH INSPECTION				is is	
		ONLY ON SH 7560, 7561, 7562					
		7576 AND 7577. FIP RMS READ				L. TOTTH	
		OUT. SEE ATTACHED SHEET.					

INSPECTED BY

Kenneth L. Loefer (JPL 130)

SIGN, STAMP, DATE

ITEM

SUPPLEMENTARY INFO/CORRECTIVE ACTION

Parts used for R/AD program

QTY. ACCT'D.

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QTY. REJ.

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PARTS REC. BY

COG. ENG.

Louis R. TOTTH

DATE

3-3-76

Q. A. ENG.

DATE

ACCOMPANY HARDWARE

JPL 1453 R 2/75





# FABRICATION WORK ORDER REQUEST

ORIGINATOR: COMPLETE UN-SHADED AREAS.  
REFER TO SPI 6-01-60

ACCOUNT NO. TO BE CHARGED		WORK ORDER NUMBER	
3 0 2 4 2 6 0 2 0 3 8 4 0		RA 691	
WORK ORDER STATUS (10)			
DATE		PROGRAM OR PROJECT	
5-14-74			
QUESTER'S NAME		BLDG /ROOM	
L. Toth		125-224	
EXT		3225	
DELIVER MATERIAL TO		CERT OF MAT'L REQ'D	
P. Willson		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO	
DRAWING NO		DRAWING TITLE	
10056227B		32 Metallic Specimen	
REQUESTER'S ESTIMATE		JOB TITLE	
\$ 1,600.00		47	

## INSTRUCTIONS

Provide the following samples made from 6AL-4V titanium material per Mil-T-9046.

### 1. Material: Annealed condition

- A. Fabricate eight specimens per dwg. 10056227-1.
- B. Fabricate eight specimens per dwg. 10056227-1 except that all surfaces to have a ☒ finish.
- C. Provide a 12" X 12" piece of parent material.

### 2. Material: Heat treated

- A. Fabricate eight specimens per dwg. 10056227-1.
- B. Fabricate eight specimens per dwg. 10056227-1 except that all surfaces to have a ☒ finish.
- C. Provide a 12" X 12" piece of parent material.

### 3. Notes

- (1) Any cleaning or surface preparation required shall be done only with isopropyl alcohol. Do not use Freon under any circumstances.
- (2) Dwg. 10056227B notes 4, 5, 6, and 7: Not part of this order; to be handled by cognizant engineer.

## ESTIMATED COST

CODE (48)						TOTALS
L (49-55)	HOURS					HOURS
A (56-61)	DOLLARS					\$
B (62-67)	OUTSIDE CONTRACT					\$
C (68-73)	MATERIAL AND OTHER					\$
D (74-79)	IN-HOUSE SUPPORT					\$

## REQUIRED APPROVALS

TOTAL

ESTIMATE

\$ 74

79

ORIGINATOR	GROUP SUPERVISOR	DATE	SECTION MANAGER	DATE	DIVISION MANAGER	DATE
J. Toth	J. Toth	5-16-74				
PROGRAM DIRECTOR	DATE	ASSISTANT LABORATORY DIRECTOR	DATE	DIRECTOR/DEPUTY DIRECTOR	DATE	



## FABRICATION WORK ORDER REQUEST

ORIGINATOR: COMPLETE UN-SHADED AREAS  
REFER TO SPI 6-01-60

ACCOUNT NO. TO BE CHARGED

3061210303840 CM 122

WORK ORDER NUMBER

DATE 8-7-75	PROGRAM OR PROJECT R/AD	N	OPEN NEW W.D.	T	OPEN COMP. NEW W.D.	A	INCREASE BY ESTIMATE
REQUESTER'S NAME L. TOTH	BLDG./ROOM 125/224	EXT. 3225	B	DECREASE BY ESTIMATE	M	ADD NEW ACTIVITY	OTHER
DELIVER MATERIAL TO L. TOTH	CERT. OF MAT. L. REQ'D. <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO	DATE REQUIRED 8-29-75	APPROPRIATE N	AGREEMENT 7.3	LOCATION 30	34	EST. COMPLETION DATE 32
DRAWING NO. 10056227B	QTY	DRAWING TITLE Specimens - double slab done	31	35	36	37	38
REQUESTER'S ESTIMATE \$ 99.00	JOB TITLE 47		61				

## INSTRUCTIONS

Hand polish specimens as follows:

1. Polish eleven (11) specimens on all surfaces using crocus cloth to meet a  $\sqrt{6}$  finish
2. Polish eight (8) specimens on all surfaces to meet a  $\sqrt{6}$  finish

## Notes:

1. Test coupon material: 6AL-4V titanium heat treated condition
2. Polish specimens in dry condition.
3. Do not use any freon type solvents

## ESTIMATED COST

CODE (48)						TOTALS
L HOURS (49 55)						HOURS
A DOLLARS (56 61)						\$
B COSTS OF CONTRACT (62-67)						\$
C MATERIAL AND OTHER (68-73)						\$
D IN HOUSE SUPPORT (74-75)						\$

## REQUIRED APPROVALS

TOTAL  
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ORIGINATOR L. TOTH	GROUP SUPERVISOR	DATE	SECTION MANAGER	DATE	DIVISION MANAGER	DATE
PROGRAM DIRECTOR	DATE	ASSISTANT LABORATORY DIRECTOR	DATE	DIRECTOR/DEPUTY DIRECTOR	DATE	DATE

# FABRICATION WORK ORDER REQUEST

ORIGINATOR: COMPLETE UN-SHADED AREAS  
REFER TO SPI 6-01-60

ACCOUNT NO. TO BE CHARGED

306/1210303840 RT211

PROGRAM OR PROJECT <b>R/AD</b>		BLDG/ROOM <b>125/224</b>		EXT <b>3225<sup>B</sup></b>		DECREASE OR ON ESTIMATE		ADD NEW ACTIVITY	
L. TOTH		CERT. OF MAT'L REQ'D. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO		DATE REQUIRED <b>8-15-75</b>		N		7, 3	
DRAWING NO. <b>165-227B</b>		QTY <b>4</b>		DRAWING TITLE <b>Metal Specimen Double Log Bone</b>		LIAISON MAN			
REVISION <b>2.5</b>									

INSTRUCTIONS  
Heat treat four (4) material compatibility test specimens to full heat treat condition.

- Note
1. Material is **TAL-4V** Titanium, annealed condition
  2. Test specimens are in finished condition.

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ESTIMATED COST							TOTALS
CODE (49)							
HOURS (49 55)							HOURS
DOLLARS (56 61)							\$
OUTSIDE CONTRACT (62 67)							\$
MATERIAL AND OTHER (68 73)							\$
IN-HOUSE SUPPORT (74 79)							\$

REQUIRED APPROVALS				TOTAL ESTIMATE		74
ORIGINATOR <b>L. TOTH</b>	GROUP SUPERVISOR	DATE	SECTION MANAGER	DATE	DIVISION MANAGER	DATE
PROGRAM DIRECTOR	DATE	ASSISTANT LABORATORY DIRECTOR	DATE	DIRECTOR/DEPUTY DIRECTOR	DATE	

# ABRICATION WORK ORDER REQUEST

ORIGINATOR: COMPLETE UN-SHADED AREAS  
REFER TO SPI 6-01-60

ACCOUNT NO TO BE CHARGED

WORK ORDER NUMBER

3061210303840 CM130

DATE 5-11-74	PROGRAM OR PROJECT R/AD		N	OPEN NEW W.O.	T	OPEN COMPL. W.O.	A	INCREASE FOR SUPP. W.O.
REQUESTER'S NAME L. TOTH	BLDG./ROOM 125/224	EXT. 3225	B	DECREASE FOR OR ESTIMATE	M	ADD NEW ACT. V.T.		
DELIVER MATERIAL TO LTH	CERT. OF MAT'L REQ'D. YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	DATE REQUIRED 9-2-75	N	UNING SECT 7.3	20	LOCATION 30	34	35
DRAWING 10056227B	QTY 16	DRAWING TITLE Specimens - double dog bone			46	LIAISON MAN		
REQUIREMENT S 87 00	MATE		CART TLE					

## INSTRUCTIONS

Hand polish specimens as follows:

1. Polish ten (10) specimens on all surfaces using crocus cloth to meet a  $\sqrt{16}$  finish.
2. Polish six (6) specimens on all surfaces to meet a  $\sqrt{64}$  finish

## Notes:

1. Test coupon material: 6AL-4V Titanium annealed condition. Parts are identified with "A" in left hand corner.
2. Polish specimens in dry condition.
3. Do not use any freon type solvents.

## ESTIMATED COST

CODE (48)						TOTALS
L HOURS (49 55)						HOURS
E DOLLARS (56 61)						\$
OUTSIDE CONTRACT (62 67)						\$
MATERIAL AND OTHER (68 73)						\$
IN HOUSE REPORT (74)						\$

## REQUIRED APPROVALS

TOTAL  
ESTIMATE

74

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ORIGINATOR L. TOTH	GROUP SUPERVISOR	DATE	SECTION MANAGER	DATE	DIVISION MANAGER	DATE
PROGRAM DIRECTOR	DATE	ASSISTANT LABORATORY DIRECTOR	DATE	DIRECTOR/DEPUTY DIRECTOR	DATE	



## MECHANICAL FABRICATION INSPECTION REQUEST

REG. NO.
Q. NO.

DATE 8-14-75	ENGINEER L. TOTH	P.O. NO.		
REQUESTED BY L. TOTH	BLDG. 125	ROOM 224	EXT. 3225	I.R. NO.
DRAWING NO. 10056227B	QUANTITY NOTED	SERIAL NO.	PROJECT NO.	
TITLE OR DESCRIPTION METALLIC SPECIMEN, DOUBLE DOGBONE				ACC. NO. 306-12103-0-3840

## DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS, SKETCH, ETC.

Inspect surface finish as follows:

1. Eleven (11) parts

Compliance with  $\sqrt{67}$  finish

2. Eight (8) parts

Compliance with  $\sqrt{64}$  finish

note

a. If practical, determine typical surface finish of each part, and note value on each envelope.

b. Material is. 6AL-4V Titanium  
Full heat treat condition

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DELIVER TO P. WILLSON	BLDG. 125	ROOM 22-4	DATE REQUIRED 8-20-75
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JPL 2726 R2/11



## FABRICATION WORK ORDER REQUEST

ORIGINATOR: COMPLETE UN-SHADED AREAS.  
REFER TO SPI 8-01-80

ACCOUNT NO. TO BE CHARGED	WORK ORDER NUMBER
3061210303840	RT231
WORK ORDER STATUS (111)	

DATE 8-19-75	PROGRAM OR PROJECT R/D	BLOC / ROOM 125/224		EXT 3225	N	OPEN NEW W.O.	T	OPEN/COMPL NEW W.O.	A	INCREASE PP-20 ESTIMATE
REQUESTER'S NAME L. TOTH		CERT. OF MAT'L REQ'D. <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO		DATE REQUIRED 9-3-75	B	DECREASE PRIOR ESTIMATE	M	ADD NEW ACTIVITY	OTHER	
DELIVER MATERIAL TO P. Willson		RPT (20) N		DO NS SECT. 28 7.3	0	LOCATION 30	34	35	EST. COMPL. DATE 42	
DRAWING NO 10056227 B		QTY 12	MATERIAL SPECIMEN double dry done		DATE THIS INPUT 41		LIAISON MAN 46		JOB TITLE 47	
REQUESTER'S ESTIMATE \$ 150.00										68

## INSTRUCTIONS

Fabricate twelve (12) parts per  
dwg 10056227 B.

Notes:

1. Material furnished is 6AL-4V  
Titanium STA heat treat condition  
per specification MIL-T-9046F
2. Return residual material to JPL
3. Do not use any Freon type solvents for  
processing. Machine dry if possible and  
use ~~isopropyl~~ isopropyl alcohol for cleaning.

## ESTIMATED COST

CODE (48)						TOTALS
L A B O R	HOURS (49-55)					HOURS
	DOLLARS (56-61)					\$
OUTSIDE CONTRACT (62-67)						\$
MATERIAL AND OTHER (68-73)						\$
IN-HOUSE SUPPORT 74-79						\$

## REQUIRED APPROVALS

TOTAL

ESTIMATE

\$ 74

ORIGINATOR L. TOTH	GROUP SUPERVISOR	DATE	SECTION MANAGER	DATE	DIVISION MANAGER	DATE
PROGRAM DIRECTOR	DATE	ASSISTANT LABORATORY DIRECTOR	DATE	DIRECTOR/DEPUTY DIRECTOR	DATE	



## MECHANICAL FABRICATION INSPECTION REQUEST

DATE 8-19-75			ENGINEER L. TOTH		REQ. NO.
REQUESTED BY L. TOTH			BLDG. 125	ROOM 224	Q. NO.
DRAWING NO.			EXT. 3225		P.D. NO.
QUANTITY			SERIAL NO.		I.R. NO. A 3413
TITLE OR DESCRIPTION METALLIC SPECIMEN, DOUBLE DOGBONE			PROJECT NO. 9-4-75		ACC. NO. 306-12103-0-3840

## DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS, SKETCH, ETC.

Inspect parts per attached drawing dated 8-19-75 and as follows:

1. Ten (10) parts  
Compliance with  $\sqrt{16}$  finish
2. Six (6) parts  
Compliance with  $\sqrt{64}$  finish

## Notes

1. Cross reference IR No. A 1914
2. Material is 6AL-4V Titanium, annealed condition. Notch on end of part is used to identify annealed condition (reference note 8 on dwg).
3. Determine typical surface finish of each part, and note value on each envelope

DELIVER TO P. WILLSON	BLDG. 125	ROOM 224	DATE REQUIRED 8-29-75
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Technical drawing of a mechanical part, likely a shaft or rod, showing dimensions and feature callouts. The drawing is oriented vertically with the part's axis horizontal.

Dimensions (all in inches, unless specified):

- Overall length: 2.500 TYP
- Distance from left end to first step: .500 TYP
- Distance between first and second steps: .500 TYP
- Distance from second step to right end: .500 TYP
- Distance from left end to centerline of the .38 R feature: .030 ± .001
- Radius of the feature: .38 R TYP
- Distance from the .38 R feature to the right end: .400 TYP

Feature Callouts:

- Feature 1 (Left): A feature at the left end, indicated by a dashed line and a triangle with the number 1.
- Feature 2 (Center): A feature at the center of the part, indicated by a triangle with the number 2.
- Feature 3 (Right): A feature at the right end, indicated by a triangle with the number 3.

TEST NUMBERS 4

NOTE 8  
IDENTIFYING NOTCH

8: TEST SAMPLES WITH NOTCH  
MATERIAL 6AL-4V TITANIUM  
ANNEALED CONDITION, MIL-T-9046F

7. TOTAL SURFACE AREA = 4.73 SQ IN  
VOLUME = 0.066 CU IN.

6. IDENTIFY WITH PART NO. PER JPL  
SPEC FS500451; PARA. 3.5.4.

5. CLEAN AND PASSIVATE PER JPL SPEC FJ506300.

ALL TEST NUMBERS TO BE ASSIGNED BY  
JPL CCG ENGR.

3. ALL SURFACES  $16'$  TO  $8'$ .

2. ALL SURFACES FLAT WITHIN .0025/IN.

**1. REMOVE ALL BURRS AND SHARP EDGES  
 .COE MAX..**

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## JET PROPULSION LABORATORY

**METALLIC SPECIMEN,  
DOUBLE-DOGBONE**

C 23835 10056227 B

Contract No.	Date	Rate
		6-18-12

SEE PARTS LIST

SEE PART 2 LIST



→ MECHANICAL FABRICATION INSPECTION REQUEST

DATE 1-1-75				ENGINEER L. TOTH		REG. NO.	
REQUESTED BY L. TOTH				BLDG. 125		Q. NO.	
DRAWING NO. 1556227 B				ROOM 224		P.O. NO.	
TITLE OR DESCRIPTION Metallic Specimen, Double Dog bone				EXT. 3225		I.R. NO.	
QUANTITY 15				SERIAL NO.		PROJECT NO.	
ACC. NO. 306-12103-0-3890							

DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS, SKETCH, ETC.

Inspect parts for dimensional compliance.

Notes

1. Material is 6AL-4V titanium, heat treated condition
2. Surface finish is probably out of print and will be polished later.
3. Material certification - not required material furnished by JPL

DELIVER TO P. Willson	BLDG. 125	ROOM 224	DATE REQUIRED 4-8-75
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or 306-12103-0-3890 JPL 2726 R2/11



## MECHANICAL FABRICATION INSPECTION REQUEST

REQ. NO.

Q. NO.

030918

P.O. NO.

I.R. NO.

PROJECT NO.

ACC. NO.

306-12103-0-3840

DATE  
FEB 23, 1976

ENGINEER

L. TOTH

BLDG.

125

ROOM

224

EXT.

3225

DRAWING NO.

10056227B

QUANTITY

5

SERIAL NO.

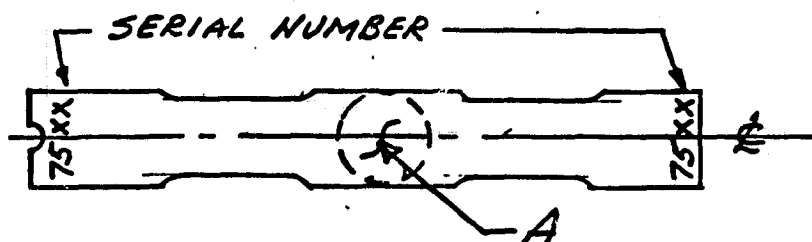
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TITLE OR DESCRIPTION

Metallic Specimen Double Dogbone

(Special parts - annealed condition)

DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS, SKETCH, ETC.



Determine surface finish on both sides of specimen in center portion, A, and record below:

Serial  
NumberI.D.  
Side  
rmsOpposite  
Side  
rms

7560

12 RMS14 RMS

7561

17 RMS15 RMS

7562

15 RMS14 RMS

1576

42 RMS42 RMS

7577

41 RMS41 RMSORIGINAL PAGE IS  
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P. Willson or L. TOTH

BLDG.

125

ROOM

224

DATE REQUIRED

MAR 2, 1976 OV.

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Sooner JPL 2726 R2/71

**JET PROPULSION LABORATORY**  
California Institute of Technology  
4800 Oak Grove Dr. / Pasadena, Calif. 91103

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PROGRAM 306		REF. DESIG. 111		S/N 111		NOMENCLATURE SPECIMEN 111 5-1 111				P.O. 111		REQ. NO. 111			
BY 111		SUB ASSY SPECIMEN 111111 - 111111				ACCT. CODE NO. 111111-111111				REG. NO. 111111		CONTRACT NO. 111			
OPERATION AFFECTED 111111				QTY. REC. 111		CERTS	MAT'L	HEAT TREAT	STRESS R.	FLUR. PEN	X-RAY	ULTRA SON.	OTHER	SUPPLIER	
DWG/PART NO. 111111		REV. 111		CONFIG. 111		REQ. 111								JPL.	
WHERE INSP. PERFORMED				MRB NO. 111		FURN. 111									
SOURCE	JPL	SAF	ETR												
COG. ENG. 111111				EXT. 111111		LEVEL OF INSP.				TYPE HARDWARE				TRAVELER NO. 111	
						SHIP	REC.	IN-PROC.	TEST	FINAL	FLT.	PROTO	TA	SE	
STATUS 111		SPEC. NO. 111				TYPE 111				LOT NO. 111				INSP. LEVEL CHK. 111111	
ITEM	ZONE	DISCREPANCIES							DISP.	REMARKS				STAMP	
1	1	3 ALL SURFACES 1/4 TO 8/16 SIN 7576 FINISH IS (411 FINE) BOTH SIDES. SIN 7577 FINISH IS (411 FINE) BOTH SIDES.								R/AL 111111					
										111111					
		* SURFACE FINISH INSPECTION ONLY ON SHIP 7560, 7561, 7562 7576 AND 7577. FIVE FIVE FIVE OUT OF ATTACHED SHEET.								111111					

INSPECTED BY

**SIGN, STAMP, DATE**

ITEM

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFO./CORRECTIVE ACTION**

	lands used for R/AD program
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5	0		
COG. ENG.	DATE	Q. A. ENG.	DATE
4-11-76	3-3-76		

### ACCOMPANY HARDWARE

JPL 1453 R 2/75



## TEST REQUEST

76-1500-

PAGE NO. \_\_\_\_\_ OF \_\_\_\_\_

ITEM Metallic Specimen double dog bone  
DWG. NO. 10056227B REV. \_\_\_\_\_  
SPEC. NO. FS504574, cleaning spec. REV. C  
JPL S/N Noted VENDOR P/N \_\_\_\_\_ S/N \_\_\_\_\_

☒ CLEAN ROOM☐ PHOTOGRAPHY☐ DEVELOPMENT☐ DATA SHEET☐ Q/A REQUIRED☐ FUNCTIONAL☐ INSTRUMENTATION☐ WITNESS REQD☐ FLIGHT ACCEPTANCE☐ OVERTIME OK☐☐ TYPE APPROVAL

REQUESTER L. TOTH EXT. 3225 DATE REQUIRED Sept 10, 1976  
ALTERNATE \_\_\_\_\_ EXT. \_\_\_\_\_ DATE OF REQUEST Aug 12, 1976

## INSTRUCTIONS

1. Please clean titanium test samples in accordance with specification FS504574 C, Tables II and III to a D-2 level and in the sequence noted on

TR 76-0600 (copy attached.)  
items 1, 2, and 3

2. Specimens have been returned from TRW, contract 954450, task 1 work.

3. Packaging - Bag each set similar to "as received" since serial number does not appear on all pieces.

4. Serial numbers are  
specimens tested

7500	R.T. (1/2)
7502	R.T. (2/4)
7503	-320°F (2/4)
7520	R.T. (1/2)
7550	R.T. (1/2)
7552	R.T. (2/4)
7553	-320°F (2/4)
7570	R.T. (1/2)

specimens examined

7500	(1)
7501	(2)
7510	(1)
7521	(2)
7550	(1)
7551	(2)
7570	(1)
7571	(2)

Completed  
8/24/76  
W. D. Dwyer

JOB NUMBER  
START OF TEST  
EST HOURS

306-12103-0-3440

COMP  
ACT HRS

PROJECT

SSPH

RECD BY  
APPROVED

DATE 8/16/76

DATE

ORIGINATOR

JPL 3224 (REV. 12-69)



## TEST REQUEST

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PAGE NO. 1 OF 1

ITEM

Metallic Specimen Double Dogbone

DWG. NO.

10056227B

REV.

SPEC. NO.

FS504.574 Cleaning Spec.

REV.

C

JPL S/N

Noted

VENDOR P/N

S/N



CLEAN ROOM



PHOTOGRAPHY



DEVELOPMENT



DATA SHEET



Q/A REQUIRED



FUNCTIONAL



INSTRUMENTATION



WITNESS REQD



FLIGHT ACCEPTANCE



OVERTIME OK



TYPE APPROVAL

REQUESTER

L. TOTH

EXT.

3225

DATE REQUIRED

3-24-76

ALTERNATE

EXT.

DATE OF REQUEST

3-8-76

## INSTRUCTIONS

1. Please clean five (5) titanium test samples in accordance with instructions listed on TR 76-0600 (copy attached)
2. Package separately; leave history card separate from specimens.
3. Serial numbers are

S/N 7560

Surface finish 16

7561

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7562

"

7576

Surface finish 64

7577

"

JOB NUMBER  
START OF TEST  
EST HOURS

306-12103-0-3840

COMP  
ACT HRSCLOSE  
OT ONLY

PROJECT

55PM

RECD BY  
APPROVEDDATE  
DATE

ORIGINATOR

JPL 3224 (REV. 12-69)

## RA691

**15915 So. San Pedro Street, Gardena, California 90248 (213) 532-5371**

ADDRESS TO NO. MESSAGE NO. NUMBER DATE QUANTITY ORDERED NOT BEFORE  
 80-359  
 DO NOT CONTRACT VENDOR CODE NO. CUSTOMER ORDER NUMBER AND  
 10220532  
 AON04 04037 80 001 10220532 TS 08  
 8006  
 Jet Propulsion Lab  
 California Institute of Tech.  
 4800 Oak Grove Drive  
 Pasadena, CA 91103  
 WILL CALL

SALES ORDER  
 DATE NO. ORDER DATE NUMBER  
 528 1 5 2974 80-359  
 P/O 612425  
 C-85572

CERTIFICATE OF TEST  
 NOTICE OF SHIPMENT

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6AL/4V Titanium to MIL-T 9046 F Type 3 Comp C Ann.

				INVOICE NUMBER		DATE		
				564 224		May 29, 1974		
COLL	PO	VIA	WILLCALL			GROSS	TARE	NET
								2 1/2 lbs.
DESCRIPTION			NO. PCS.	SQUARE FEET	BILLING WT. PER PIECE OR SQ. FT.	WEIGHT		BAL. DUE
1	.032 x RW x RL		2	2		2 1/2		C
	Heat Number K 8800							
	Test Number L 8283							

**CERTIFIED CHEMICAL ANALYSIS AND MECHANICAL PROPERTIES  
ON REVERSE SIDE**

# TITANIUM SUPPLY

## CERTIFICATE OF TEST CHEMICAL ANALYSIS

HEAT NO.	C	FE	N	AL	VA	CR	MO	H	ZR	SN	MN	
K 8800	.026	.09	.012	6.0	4.1				.011			.10

### MECHANICAL PROPERTIES

HEAT NO.	TEST NO.	SIZE OR GAUGE	YIELD STRENGTH	TENSILE STRENGTH	ELONG.	R. A. %	HARDNESS	BEND TEST
K 8800	L 8283	.032	KSI	KSI				R/T @ 20X
		L	147	157	11			4.0
		T	138	152	10			4.0
		L	150	161	11			4.0
		T	130	149	10			4.0
			MFG: TIMET					
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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO BEFORE ME

DATE **May 29, 1974**

RESULTS AS ABOVE CERTIFIED

TITANIUM SUPPLY, GARDENA, CALIFORNIA

*Clath T. L. L.*



# FUTURA TITANIUM CORPORATION RA691

SOLD TO:

Jet Propulsion Lab  
4800 Oak Grove Drive  
Pasadena, CA 91103

SHIP TO:

Ref  
P/O 613425  
C-85572

CUSTOMER ORDER NO.

GT 620091

OUR ORDER NO.

5-15718

DATE SHIPPED

XMAS 74  
6-3-74

DESCRIPTION

1pc.032 x 14 x 37 1pc-.032 x 20 x 37  
Titanium Sheet (3.6H)  
6AL-4V STA

SIZE

## CHEMICAL ANALYSIS

HEAT #	C	FE	NE	AL	VA	CR	MO	HS	O2	MN	TI	SN	NI	ELEMENTS
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6-4754 .023 .06 .013 6.10 4.00 .006 .08 Bal

## PHYSICAL PROPERTIES

HEAT #	YIELD STRENGTH PSI	TENSILE STRENGTH PSI	ELONG % IN 2"	RED. OF AREA %	HARDNESS	REMARKS	TEST #
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6-4754 151,200 164,000 14.0 37.5 33.5 HFG: T100T  
Bonds: OK

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED BEFORE ME

June

THIS 3 DAY OF 1974

NOTARY PUBLIC

## CERTIFICATE OF TEST

THE TEST RESULTS SHOWN IN THIS REPORT ARE CORRECT TO THE BEST OF OUR KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

FUTURA TITANIUM CORPORATION

CERTIFIED

BY:

FTSC-4 NCR-TR-2500-7/73 REPRESENTATIVE



# PACIFIC STEEL TREATING CO. PST A 20733

6829 FARMDALE AVE. • NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CALIF. 91605  
983-1450 877-3346

WT.

ORDER <b>ET • PROPULSION LABORATORY</b>	PROC. ENG.	DATE <b>6-7-4</b>	P.O. <b>MT 613434</b>
JOB DESCRIPTION <b>20 STRIPS .032 X 1 1/2" X 6"</b>			SHIPPER <b>L-85777</b>
			CUST. JOB NO. <b>77 RA 691-1-232</b>
			CONTAINERS <b>REF. P/O 613425 C-85172</b>
		A/C PRIME	

MATERIAL <b>6AL-4V T1</b>	CONDITION <b>AGED</b>	SURFACE FINISH CAST, WROUGHT <input type="checkbox"/> ROUGH MACH <input type="checkbox"/> FINISH MACH <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		MAX SECTION THICKNESS <b>0.32</b>
HARDNESS REQUIREMENTS		ROCKWELL	BRINELL	CORE
TENSILE REQUIREMENTS		U/T	YIELD	ELONG
		KSI	KSI	%

NO.	OPERATION	SPECIFICATION	MEDIUM	TEMP.	REQ'D SOAK TIME	FURN. NO.	DATE	TIME IN	TIME AT TEMP	TIME OUT	STAMP
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
1	VAC PURGE RETORT							A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	(PST 40)
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
2	ANNEAL	MIL-H 81200A AR		1425	30 MIN	43	6/8	12 <sup>10</sup> A.M.	12 <sup>20</sup> A.M.	12 <sup>20</sup> A.M.	(PST 40)
3	RETORT	COOL TO R/T						A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	(PST 40)
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
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								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	

3 TESTS

ACTUAL HARDNESS	ROCKWELL	BRINELL	CORE
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TITLE

*Balling* AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE  
apx RC 2191

# PACIFIC STEEL TREATING CO. PST A43429

6829 FARMDALE AVE. • NORTH HOLLYWOOD, CALIF. 91605  
983-1450 877-3345

EXACT SOAK OPER.

OK TO EXTEND OPER.

OWNER <b>JPL</b>	PROC. ENG. <b>KL</b>	DATE <b>8-11-75</b>	P.O. <b>GT 634235</b>
JOB DESCRIPTION <b>4 Test Specimens</b>			SHIPPER
CUST. JOB NO. <b>778-RT211-1-7320</b>			CONTAINERS <b>1 Paper Bag</b>
A/C PRIME			

MATERIAL <b>6PL-4V</b>	CONDITION <b>A</b>	SURFACE FINISH CAST, WROUGHT <input type="checkbox"/> ROUGH MACH <input type="checkbox"/> FINISH MACH <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SECTION THICKNESS MAX. <b>050</b> MIN.
HARDNESS REQUIREMENTS		ROCKWELL	BRINELL
TENSILE REQUIREMENTS		YIELD	ELONG

NO.	OPERATION	SPECIFICATION	MEDIUM	TEMP.	REQ'D SOAK TIME	FURN. NO.	DATE	TIME IN	TIME AT TEMP	TIME OUT	STAMP
1	Deep Clean	Water Acetone Wipe						A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
2	Age	81200A	Arg	1000	3hr	22	8/11/75	12:00	11:00	2:00	
	Retrt cool Oil							A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
								P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	
								A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
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PST

CERTIFICATION

A43429

EXACT SOAK OPER.

OK TO EXTEND OPER.

3MER <i>Top L</i>	PROC. ENG. <i>ME</i>	DATE <i>8-11-75</i>	P.O. <i>GT 634235</i>
JOB DESCRIPTION <i>4 Test Specimens</i>			SHIPPER
			CUST. JOB NO. <i>77S-RT211-1-7320</i>
			CONTAINERS <i>1 Pallet Box</i>
A/C PRIME			

MATERIAL <i>6AL-4V</i>	CONDITION <i>A</i>	SURFACE FINISH CAST, WROUGHT <input type="checkbox"/> ROUGH MACH <input type="checkbox"/> FINISH MACH <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	SECTION THICKNESS MAX. <i>0.50</i> MIN.
HARDNESS REQUIREMENTS		ROCKWELL	BRINELL
TENSILE REQUIREMENTS		U/T	YIELD
		ELONG	R.A.
		NO. COUPONS TO PULL	

NO.	OPERATION	SPECIFICATION	MEDIUM	TEMP.	REQ'D SOAK TIME	FURN. NO.	DATE	TIME IN	TIME AT TEMP	TIME OUT	STAMP
1	<i>Deep Clean</i>	<i>with Acetone Wipe</i>						A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	
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2	<i>Age</i>	<i>81200A</i>	<i>Age</i>	<i>1000</i>	<i>3hr</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>8/11/75</i>	<i>10<sup>00</sup></i>	<i>11<sup>00</sup></i>	<i>2<sup>00</sup></i>	<i>PST HT 1</i>
	<i>Retat cool Oil</i>							A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	<i>PST HT 2</i>
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**WARNING**  
**NO VAPOR DEGR**  
**NO HYDROGEN**  
**NO NITROGEN**

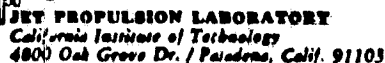
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SHIP. INSP.	LAB TESTS	ROCKWELL	BRINELL	CORE	
ACTUAL HARDNESS					<i>Hellberg</i>

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE

TITLE





**I. R. NO. A 1914**

SHEET 1 OF 1

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INSPECTED BY W. Templeton  SIGN, STAMP, DATE W. Templeton 8/18/75 

ITEM	SUPPLEMENTARY INFO./CORRECTIVE ACTION
	all use as is <i>Reilly</i>

QTY. ACCT'T.	QTY. REJ.	PARTS REC. BY	
93	100	Crestor Wilson	
COG. ENG.	DATE	Q. A. ENG.	DATE
17th May 1944			8-150-

### ACCOMPANY HARDWARE

JPL 1453 R 2/75

# INSPECTION REPORT

I. R. NO. A 3418

LABORATORY  
Technology  
Palo Alto, Calif. 91103

SHEET 1 OF 1

MO.	DAY	YR
9	11	75

DESIG.	S/N	NOMENCLATURE						P.O.	REQ. NO.
ALL	N/A	METALLIC SPECIMEN						N/A	N/A
SUB ASSY		ACCT. CODE NO.		REG. NO.		CONTRACT NO.			
C-2-1-1-1-1		306-12103-0-3740		12103-0-3740		N/A			
OPERATION AFFECTED	QTY. REC.	CERTS	MAT'L	HEAT TREAT	STRESS R.	FLUR. PEN	X-RAY	ULTRA SON.	SUPPLIER
Dim. Insp.	11								JPL
DWG	REV.	CONFIG.	REQ.						
11	B	N/A	N/A						
WHERE TEST PERFORMED	MRD NO.	FURN.							
SOUL	ETR	N/A							
COG. ENG.	EXT.	LEVEL OF INSP.				TYPE HARDWARE			TRAVELER NO.
11	323	SHIP	REC.	IN-PROC.	TEST	FINAL	FLT.	PROTO	TA
STATUS	SPEC. NO.	TYPE				LOT NO.			INSP. LEVEL CHK.
N/A	N/A	N/A				N/A			100%

ITEM	ZONE	DISCREPANCIES	DISP.	REMARKS	STAMP
1		.030±.001 THICKNESS IS UP TO .03273.033 MAX.			
2		FLAT WITHIN .0025/in. IS O.K.			
3		NO MATERIAL CERTIFICATION			
4		NO PASSIVATION CERTIFICATION			
		NOTE:		# TSTH	
		(1) ASSIGNED TEST NOT PENDING		7-4-75	
		(2) SEE MATERIAL DIMS RECORDED ON EACH ENVELOPE.			

INSPECTED BY  
*Joe Brubaker*



SIGN, STAMP, DATE

## SUPPLEMENTARY INFO./CORRECTIVE ACTION

ITEM	NOTES: Trace into no. not for sheet
	J. TOTH 7-9-75

QTY. ACCP'T.	QTY. REJ.	PARTS REC. BY
11		
COG. ENG.	DATE	Q. A. ENG.
I. TOTH	7-9-75	

ACCOMPANY HARDWARE



## MECHANICAL FABRICATION INSPECTION REQUEST

REG. NO.

Q. NO.

DATE 8-19-75	ENGINEER L. TOTH			P.O. NO.
REQUESTED BY L. TOTH	BLDG. 125	ROOM 224	EXT. 3215	I.R. NO. A 3413
DRAWING NO.	QUANTITY		SERIAL NO.	PROJECT NO. 9-4-75
TITLE OR DESCRIPTION METALLIC SPECIMEN, DOUBLE DOGBONE				ACC. NO. 306-12103-0-3840

## DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS, SKETCH, ETC.

Inspect parts per attached drawing dated 8-19-75 and as follows:

1. Ten (10) parts  
Compliance with  $\sqrt[16]{}$  finish
2. Six (6) parts  
Compliance with  $\sqrt[64]{}$  finish

## Notes

1. Cross reference IR No. A 1914
2. Material is 6AL-4V Titanium, annealed condition. Notch on end of part is used to identify annealed condition (reference note 8 on dwg).
3. Determine typical surface finish of each part, and note value on each envelope

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DELIVER TO P. WILLSON	BLDG. 125	ROOM 224	DATE REQUIRED 8-29-75
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**ORIGINATOR**

20th 125/224

JPL 0351 R 472





## MECHANICAL FABRICATION INSPECTION REQUEST

REG. NO.	R14691 (12)
SHIP NO.	Supplier C-85872
P.O. NO.	GT-613425
I.R. NO.	
PROJECT NO.	302
ACC. NO.	775-RA-691-1-2320

DATE	7-8-74	ENGINEER	L. Potter / W. Lewis		
REQUESTED BY	L. Potter	BLDG.	171	ROOM	235
				EXT.	7179
DRAWING NO.	10056227-B	QUANTITY	32 + 7 spots		SERIAL NO.
TITLE OR DESCRIPTION					PROJECT NO.
Titanium specimens					302
					ACC. NO.
					775-RA-691-1-2320

DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS, SKETCH, ETC.

SUPPLIER MAGNAFLUX TEST LAB

Inspect per furnished drawing except notes  
~~1, 2, 3~~, 4, 5, 6 & 7 have not been accomplished.

COG. ENG.

SIGNATURE Louis TOTHDATE 7-18-74

JUL 8 RECD

MECHANICAL  
QUALITY ASSURANCE

IN 286949

7-10-74

DELIVER TO	W. Lewis	BLDG.	171	ROOM	235	DATE REQUIRED	
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Q.A. FILE

PROGRAM R. & D.	REF. DESIG. OK	S/N N/A	NOMENCLATURE 1A57ALLLC-SPF-11A-01	P.O. P. 117025	REQ. NO. P. 117025					
		SUB ASSY N/A-562-RB-91-1-2200	ACCT. CODE NO.	REQ. NO. N/A	CONTRACT NO. N/A					
OPERATION AFFECTED DIPG. INSP.	QTY. REC. 24	CERTS	MAT'L	HEAT TREAT	STRESS R.	FLUR. PEN	X-RAY	ULTRA SON.	OTHER	SUPPLIER
DWG/PART NO. AS-737-1-B	MRB NO. N/A	REQ.	YES	YES						PARAGMATEL.
WHERE INSP. PERFORMED	MRB ITEM NO.	FURN.	YES	YES						TCS-LAB
SOURCE	JPL	SAF	AMR							
COG. ENG. LEWIS	EXT. 7174	LEVEL OF INSP.			TYPE HARDWARE				TRAVELER NO. N/A	
		REC.	IN-PROC.	TEST	FINAL	FLT.	PROTO	TA	OSE	
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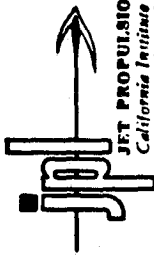
INSP. <i>E. A. [Signature]</i> 	DATE <i>7-18-72 C. R. [Signature]</i> 
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ITEM	R/AD item	CORRECTIVE ACTION	CR
	not for flight purpose -		

QTY. ACCP'T.	QTY. REJ.	PARTS REC. BY	
COG. ENG. <i>H. TOTH</i>	DATE <i>7-18-74</i>	Q. A. ENG.	DATE

CONSIGNEE/CO		ACTOR		DATE		NO.		AGE	
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SHIPPING - RECEIVING MEMORANDUM				PURCHASE ORDER/CONTRACT NO.					
				GT-649846					
SHIP TO				JOB NO.					
M.C.I.				778-RS047-1-1950					
8100 E. Slauson Ave.				REQUESTED BY					
Montebello, Calif 90640				Steadman/Ioth					
ATTN:				H/C					
				MATERIAL LOCATION					
				PREPAID <input type="checkbox"/> COLLECT <input type="checkbox"/>					
				SECURITY CLASSIFICATION					
				II					



**JPL**  
 JET PROPULSION LABORATORY  
 California Institute of Technology  
 4800 Oak Grove Dr. / Pasadena, Calif. 91103

ITEM NO.	QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT VALUE	PROPERTY ID NO.	RETURNABLE ITEM	FOR JPL RECEIVING - SHIPPING USE ONLY	
						ACCEPT	REJECT
1	5	T1-6A-4V Specimens DNG#10056227B	25.00	None	X		
2	1	DNG #10056227C	NCV	None	X		
"NOTES"							
1. Parts are finished machined							
2. DO NOT EXPOSE to Halogenated							
3. Solvents such as freon for cleaning							
3. Notes 1 thru 7 not applicable to this order							
Need Date: 2-6-76							

INTERNAL DELIVERY		BLOG.		ROOM		EXPEDITOR	
P. Wilson		125		224		Steadman	
PROPERTY OWNERSHIP		SHIPMENT AUTHORIZED BY		PACKED BY		MANIFEST NO.	
JPL/NASA		R. Duvall/L. Steadman/ar					
INSTRUCTIONS							
Anneal Specimens in Vacuum or Inert Atmosphere per Mil-T-009046G.				RECEIVED BY			
Notify R. Duvall, 354-3501, of costs before proceeding				RECEIVED BY			
				INSPECTION NO.		DATE	
				SHIPPER NO.		SHIPPER NO.	

APPENDIX C  
FLUORINE IMMERSION STORAGE PROCEDURE



ONE SPACE PARK • REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA

CODE IDENT 11982

TITLE

STORAGE IN LIQUID NITROGEN OF  
SEALED CAPSULES CONTAINING TITANIUM  
SPECIMENS AND/OR LIQUID FLUORINE

DATE 8 NOVEMBER 1977

NO. D01755

SUPERSEDING: New

PREPARED BY:

J. R. Denson  
J. R. DENSON

APPROVAL SIGNATURES:

D. M. Wever 11/14/77  
D. M. WEVER, Manager  
Capistrano Chemical Facility

B. B. Milburn 11/18/77  
B. B. MILBURN, Manager  
CTS Health and Safety

F. R. Garbarine 11/21/77  
for F. R. GARBARINE, Manager  
Capistrano Test Site

DATE

DATE





1.0 SCOPE

1.1 This document describes the storage of canisters loaded with specimen capsules in a temperature conditioning flask that is filled two times a week with liquid nitrogen. There are a total of thirty (30) capsules; eight capsules contain about 10 ml of liquid fluorine and twenty-two capsules contain a titanium specimen and about 10 ml of liquid fluorine. It is intended that the titanium specimens and liquid fluorine remain in storage for a period up to five years.

2.0 CONDITIONS

2.1 Personnel

2.2.1 Members of the Technical Staff and Technicians, as required.

2.2 Safety

Personnel shall comply with the TRW-CTS Facility Safety requirements and the Safety Requirements for the Chemistry and Chemical Engineering Laboratory. When adding liquid nitrogen for the first five minutes to the CRYO-FLASK, personnel shall remain behind a barricade. Safety of the storage method was evaluated and documented in the Applicable Documents listed in Sections 2.3.3 and 2.3.4. Capsules opened in a dewar containing liquid nitrogen caused no problems, but permitted slow distillation of fluorine from the dewar over a 24-hour period.

2.3 Applicable Documents

2.3.1 Safety Requirements for the Chemistry and Chemical Engineering Laboratory.

2.3.2 D-0051 (FTD 13.1) Safety Requirements, CTS.

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2.3.3 2316-6020-RU-00, "Compatibility Testing of Spacecraft Materials and Space-Storable Liquid Propellants", Final Report, February 1974

2.3.4 16681-6009-R0-00, "A Plan for a Material Compatibility Program for Oxygen Difluoride ( $\text{OF}_2$ ) and Diborane ( $\text{B}_2\text{H}_6$ ) Liquid Propellants", Final Report, April 1971

2.4 Test Equipment

2.4.1 Storage Bunker

2.4.2 CRYO-FLASK, Model A-1500, Liquid Nitrogen, Manufactured by Minnesota Valley Engineering Company

2.4.3 Liquid Nitrogen Supply Tank

2.4.4 Test Set-up (See Figure 1)

2.5 Calibration

All instruments used to obtain measurements for data acquisition shall be calibrated in accordance with TRW Quality Assurance Standard Practice and within current acceptable calibration periods.

3.0 OPERATION

3.1 Verify that the liquid nitrogen supply is connected to the CRYO-FLASK.

3.2 Verify that the level indicator on the liquid nitrogen supply tank indicates that the tank is at least 25% full.

3.3 Verify that the pressure gauge on the liquid nitrogen supply tanks indicates at least 10 psig pressure in the tank.

NOTE

Be certain that all personnel are behind a barricade (the wall of the storage bunker).

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- 3.4 Open full the liquid delivery valve on the liquid supply tank.
- 3.5 Observe when the CRYO-FLASK is full of liquid nitrogen. This observation is made by noting when fog coming from the bunker increases greatly. At this time the liquid nitrogen overflowing from the CRYO-FLASK can be observed.

NOTE

Observation of the CRYO-FLASK is safe at all times, but as a precaution, it shall not be observed during the first five minutes of filling. The CRYO-FLASK in use retains 25% of the liquid nitrogen after standing for four weeks.

- 3.6 Close the valve on the liquid nitrogen supply tank when the CRYO-FLASK is filled with liquid nitrogen.
- 3.7 Record in a notebook the date and time the CRYO-FLASK is filled with liquid nitrogen.

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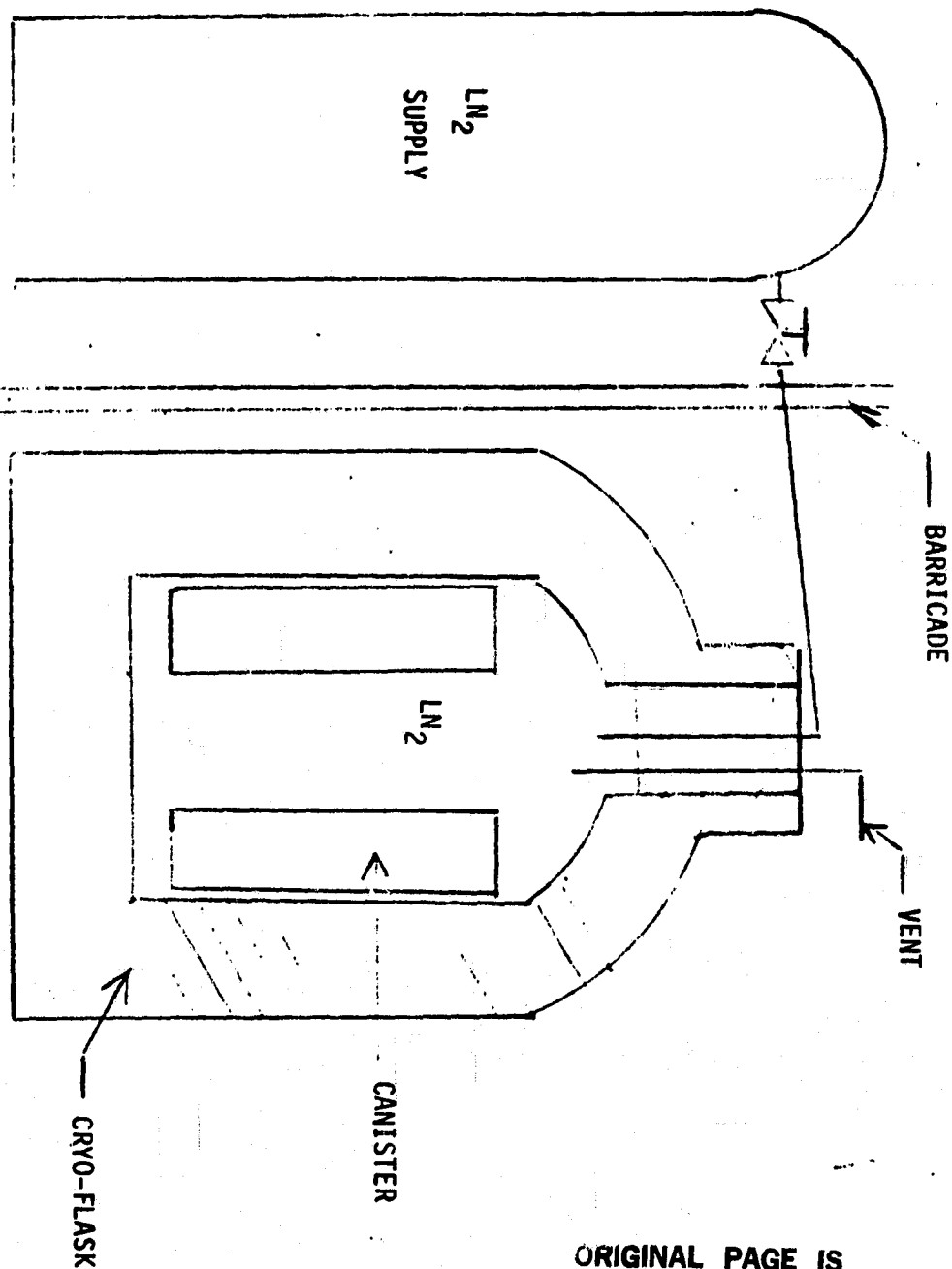
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FIGURE 1

CONDITIONING FLASK



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**APPENDIX D**  
**PROCEDURE FOR TEST TERMINATION**



DEFENSE AND SPACE SYSTEMS GROUP

ONE SPACE PARK • REDONDO BEACH, CALIFORNIA

FSCM NO. 11982

TITLE

REMOVAL OF FLUORINE AND ANALYSIS OF  
FLUORINE IN LONG TERM STORAGE TESTS  
OF TITANIUM SPECIMENS WITH LIQUID FLUORINE

DATE 18 Oct 1978

NO. YS-28T-15

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1.0 SCOPE

1.1 In July 1976 capsules manufactured from glass were sealed with liquid fluorine or with titanium specimens and liquid fluorine. Since sealing these capsules have been in storage at  $-196^{\circ}\text{C}$ . This procedure describes the twice before performed safe removal of liquid fluorine from the long term stored capsules.

2.0 CONDITIONS

2.1 Personnel

Chemists and Technicians, as required. Personnel shall be trained in the normal operations performed in handling fluorine.

2.2 Personnel shall comply with TRW-CTS Facility Safety Requirements and with the Chemistry and Chemical Engineering Laboratory Safety Requirements. Personnel shall be thoroughly acquainted with the Fluorine and Liquid Nitrogen Sections of the Safety Requirements for the Chemistry and Chemical Engineering Laboratory. A safety face shield, gloves and rubber apron shall be worn when performing all operations. While working in a hood with capsules containing fluorine, a safety shield shall be placed between the operator and capsules.

All operations described in this document were performed two times during the last five years.

2.3 Applicable Documents

2.3.1 Safety Requirements for the Chemistry and Chemical Engineering Laboratory.

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2.3.2 Capistrano Test Site Manual, Part III, Safety Procedures and Part IV, Emergency Procedures.

2.3.3 Matheson Gas Data Book, section on fluorine.

3.0 REMOVAL OF LIQUID FLUORINE ( $LF_2$ ) FROM CAPSULES AND ANALYSIS OF RESIDUE

3.1 Removal of  $LF_2$  from Capsules

NOTE

In an emergency such as observing a broken capsule, the capsule shall be placed in a Dewar flask filled with  $LN_2$ . This Dewar flask shall then be placed in the test cell. Under these conditions, the  $LF_2$  will boil off overnight with no problems except the slow release of  $F_2$  as a gas.

NOTE

Operators shall wear face shield, laboratory coat, rubber apron, and asbestos gloves when handling cold capsules.

3.1.1 Move the liquid nitrogen ( $LN_2$ ) filled Cryo-Flask to the oxidizer test cell.

3.1.2 Fill a ten-inch deep Dewar with  $LN_2$ .

3.1.3 Place the  $LN_2$  filled Dewar next to the Cryo-Flask.

3.1.4 Lift by the attached handle the canister containing the capsule to be sampled to a level where one-half the canister is covered with  $LN_2$ .

NOTE

A canister is a stainless steel tube with a screen covered bottom and a long handle that retains 8 capsules while immersed in  $LN_2$  contained in the Cryo-Flask.

3.1.5 By the second operator, move the  $LN_2$  filled Dewar to a position next to the Cryo-Flask neck.

NOTE

Two operators must work as a team when capsules containing  $LF_2$  are moved.



- 3.1.6 Rapidly lift the canister from the Cryo-Flask.
- 3.1.7 Rapidly move the capsule being sampled from the canister and place in the LN<sub>2</sub> filled Dewar.
- 3.1.8 Immediately place the canister below the LN<sub>2</sub> level in the Cryo-Flask.
- 3.1.9 Move the LN<sub>2</sub> filled Dewar containing the capsule to the hood contained in the Fluorine Handling Manifold and replace the chain across the entrance to the test cell.

NOTE

A safety shield shall be between the operator and the capsule while the capsule is in the hood.

- 3.1.10 While immersed in LN<sub>2</sub>, manipulate the specimen capsule into position for connection to the opening device shown in Figure 1 which is connected to handling manifold shown in Figure 2.

NOTE

The handle to the opening device valve is extended so that it passes through a small hole in a safety shield placed in front of the opening device.

- 3.1.11 Connect the specimen capsule to the opening device using a Swagelock nut and Teflon ferrules.
- 3.1.12 Close or verify closed Valves 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 8, 9, and 10.
- 3.1.13 Open or verify open Valves 4, 7, and 11.
- 3.1.14 Verify the Manifold Pump is on and that the Dewar flask and the LN<sub>2</sub> cooled traps are full.
- 3.1.15 Connect at Valve 1 a 10 cm stainless steel infrared cell fitted with AgCl windows.
- 3.1.16 Open Valves 1 and 2.





NOTE

Allow the tip of the specimen capsule to remain in vacuum for five minutes to remove any moisture on the surface of the capsule tip.

- 3.1.17 Close Valve 7 and observe the vacuum gauge for three minutes to determine there are no leaks.
- 3.1.18 Using the handle extension on the opening device, turn the handle 90° which will crush the tip off the specimen capsule.
- 3.1.19 Return the handle on the opening device to the original position.
- 3.1.20 Record the pressure noted in the manifold.

NOTE

The volume of the manifold with a capsule and infrared cell connected shall have been determined prior to this.

- 3.1.21 Verify that the vacuum pump in the test cell is on.
- 3.1.22 Open Valve 6 and vacuum distill the  $LF_2$  from the specimen capsule.

NOTE

The  $LF_2$  is passed through a soda lime and then a charcoal scrubber before entering the vacuum pump. A thermocouple is attached to the soda lime scrubber about 20% of the distance down the soda lime packing in the copper tank. If the thermocouple measures a temperature of 48°C, the distillation is stopped until the scrubber cools to 30°C.

- 3.1.23 When the distillation is complete as determined by the observation that no liquid remains, close Valve 6.
- 3.1.24 Remove the  $LN_2$  filled Dewar from the sample capsule.

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- 3.1.25 Record the pressure in the manifold when the sample capsule is free of frost and the capsule temperature is near room temperature as determined by touch.
- 3.1.26 Close Valve 1 and the valve on the infrared cell.
- 3.1.27 Open Valve 7 and evacuate the manifold for five minutes.
- 3.1.28 Remove the infrared cell and analyze its contents as indicated in Section 3.2.
- 3.1.29 Close Valve 7.
- 3.1.30 Bleed helium through Valve 8 until the pressure in the manifold is 760 torr.
- 3.1.31 Close Valves 8 and 2.
- 3.1.32 By means of a propane-oxygen torch seal the tip of the specimen capsule.

NOTE

Ship the specimen capsules to the Metallurgical Laboratory at Space Park for examination. The material being shipped is not hazardous, and does not require special handling techniques.

- 3.1.33 Remove the broken glass tip from the Capsule Opening Device.

3.2 Residue Analysis

- 3.2.1 Obtain standard calibration curves for each of the substances listed below at the absorption frequencies listed:

<u>Substance</u>	<u>cm<sup>-1</sup></u>
HF	3770
CO <sub>2</sub>	2350
CF <sub>4</sub>	1280
SiF <sub>4</sub>	1050



3.2.2 Obtain an infrared spectrum between  $4000\text{ cm}^{-1}$  and  $750\text{ cm}^{-1}$  of the residue collected at  $-196^{\circ}\text{C}$  and evaporated at room temperature (see 3.1.3 ).

3.2.3 Read concentration for each species present from Standard Curves.

NOTE

To determine the concentration of each species it will be necessary to calibrate the volume of the manifold and the infrared cell.

3.2.4 Perform calculation of species concentration

$$\text{mg of species} = \frac{\% \times V \times \text{MW}}{22.5 \times 100}$$

where:

% = concentration from standard curve in %

V = volume of manifold and infrared cell

MW = molecular weight of species

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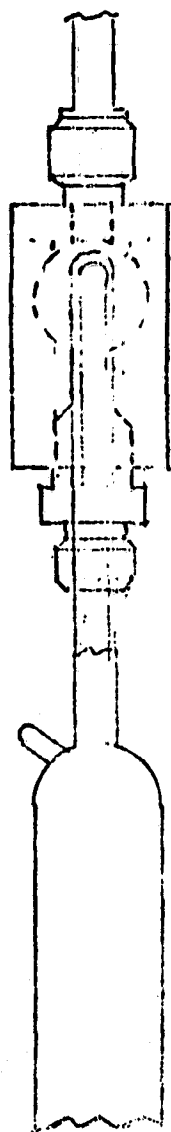
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*1/4 Inch Ball Valve*

*Drill Swagelok Fitting with  
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*Figure 1  
Capsule Opening  
Device*

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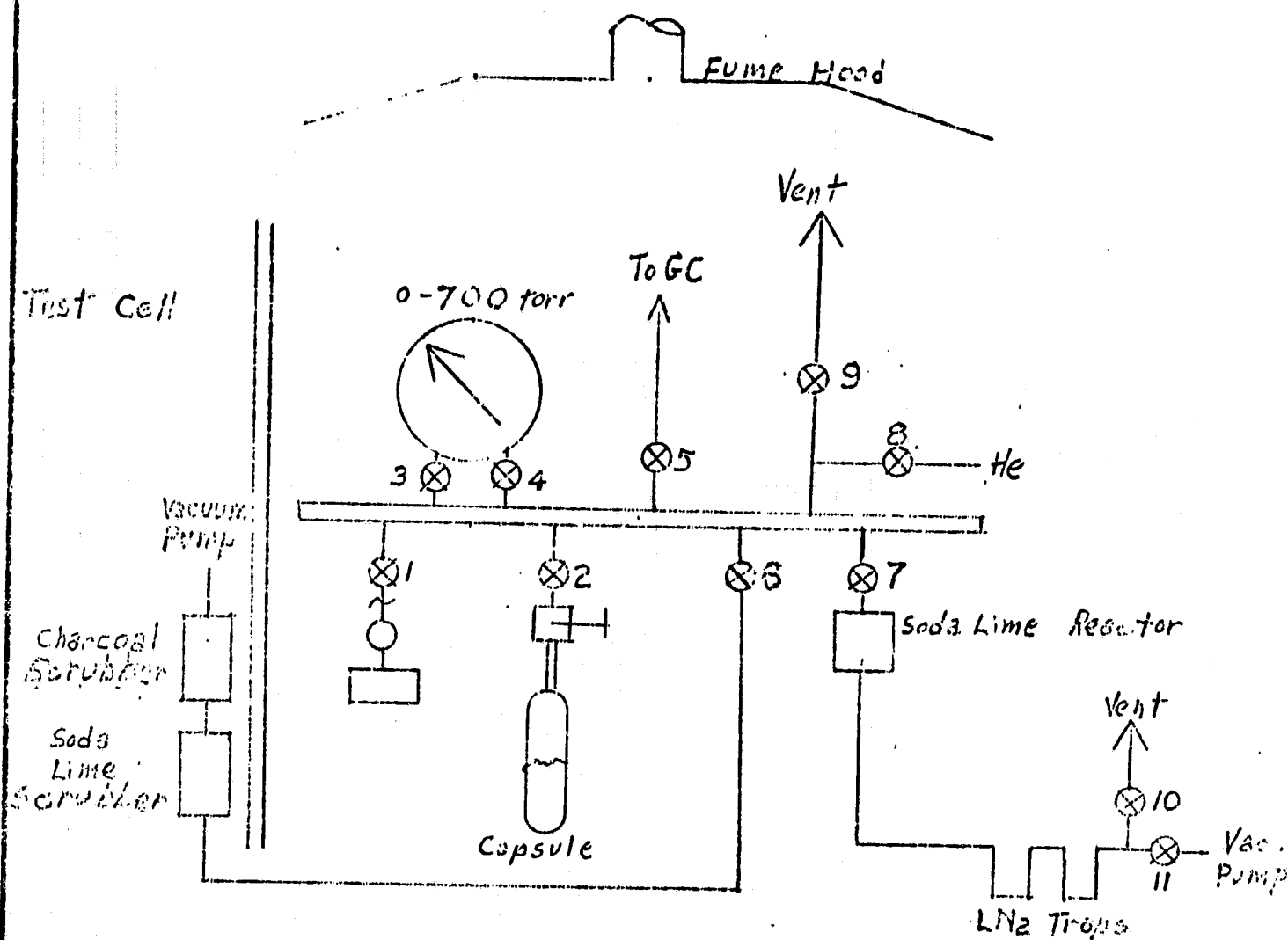
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Figure 2  
Fluorine Handling Manifold

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APPENDIX E

APPEARANCE OF PRE-IMMERSION COUPONS

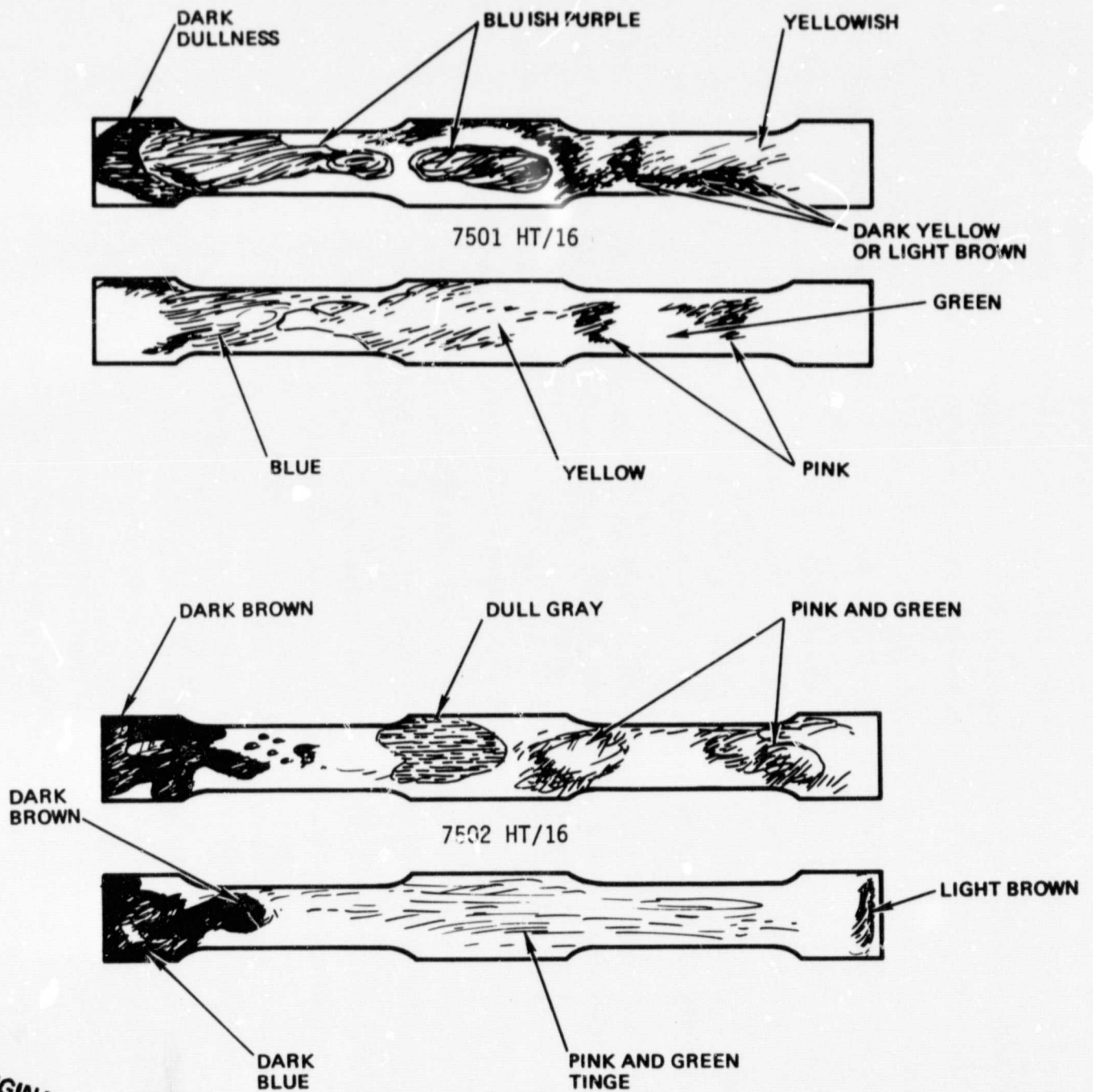
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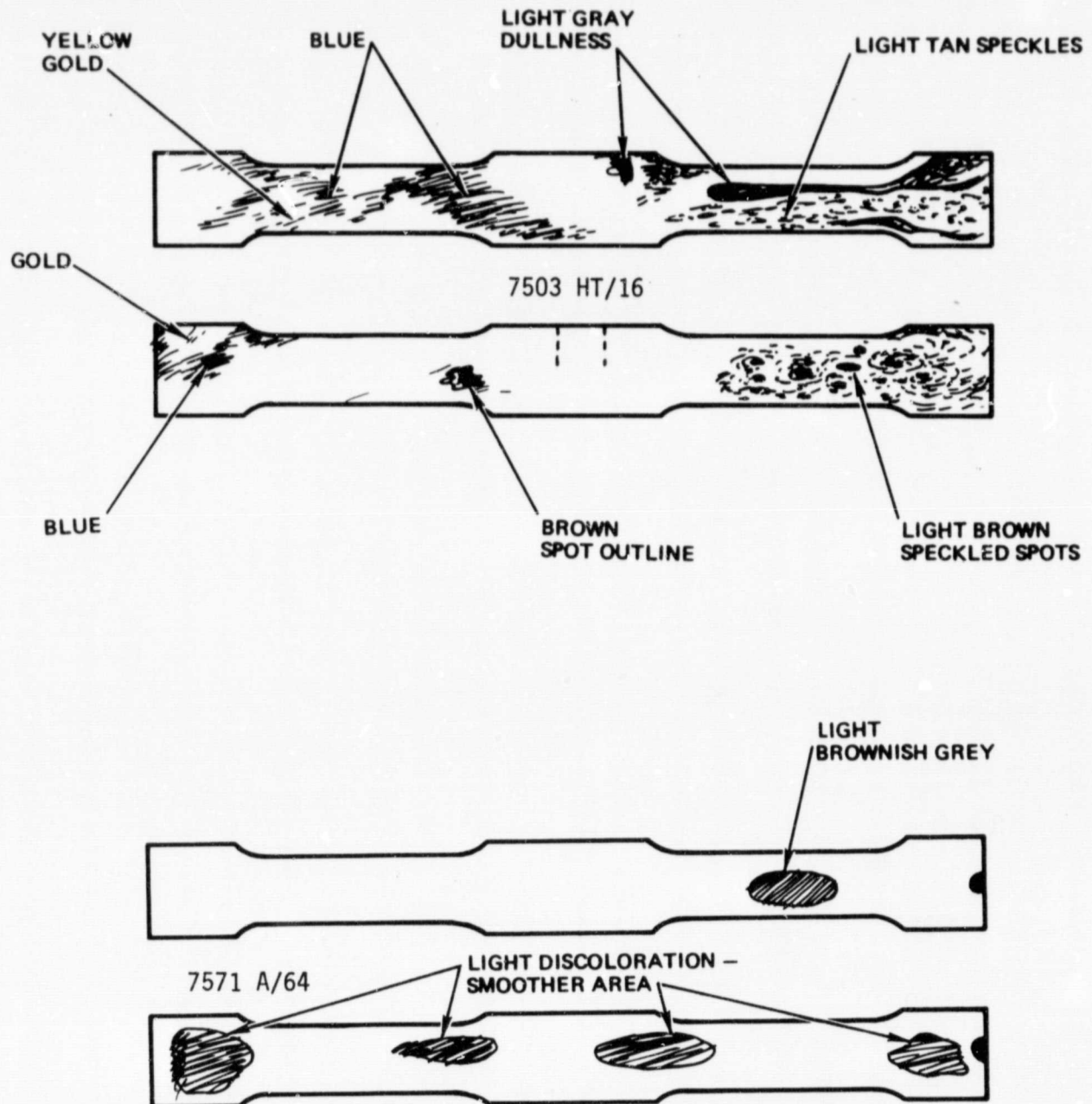


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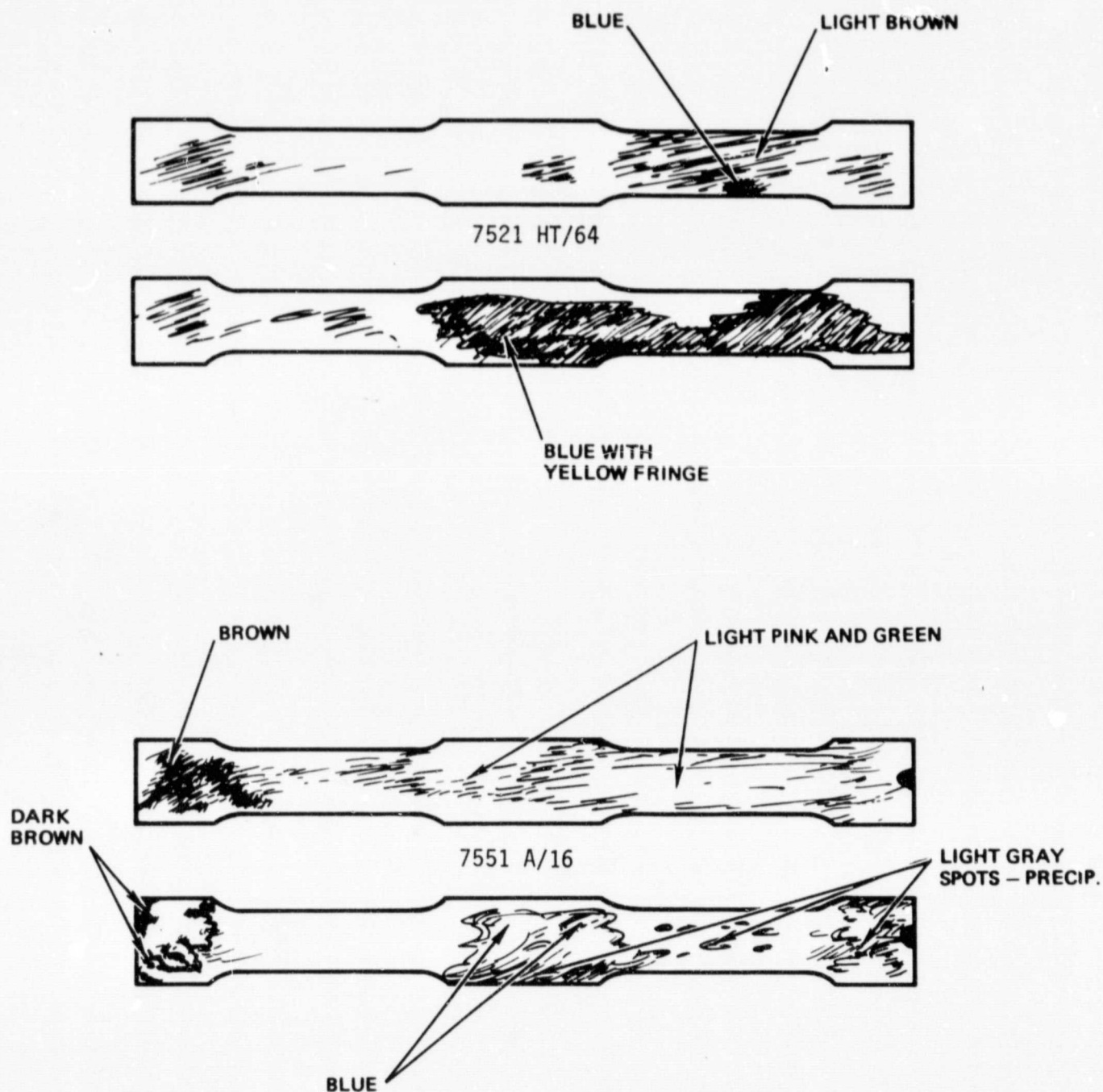


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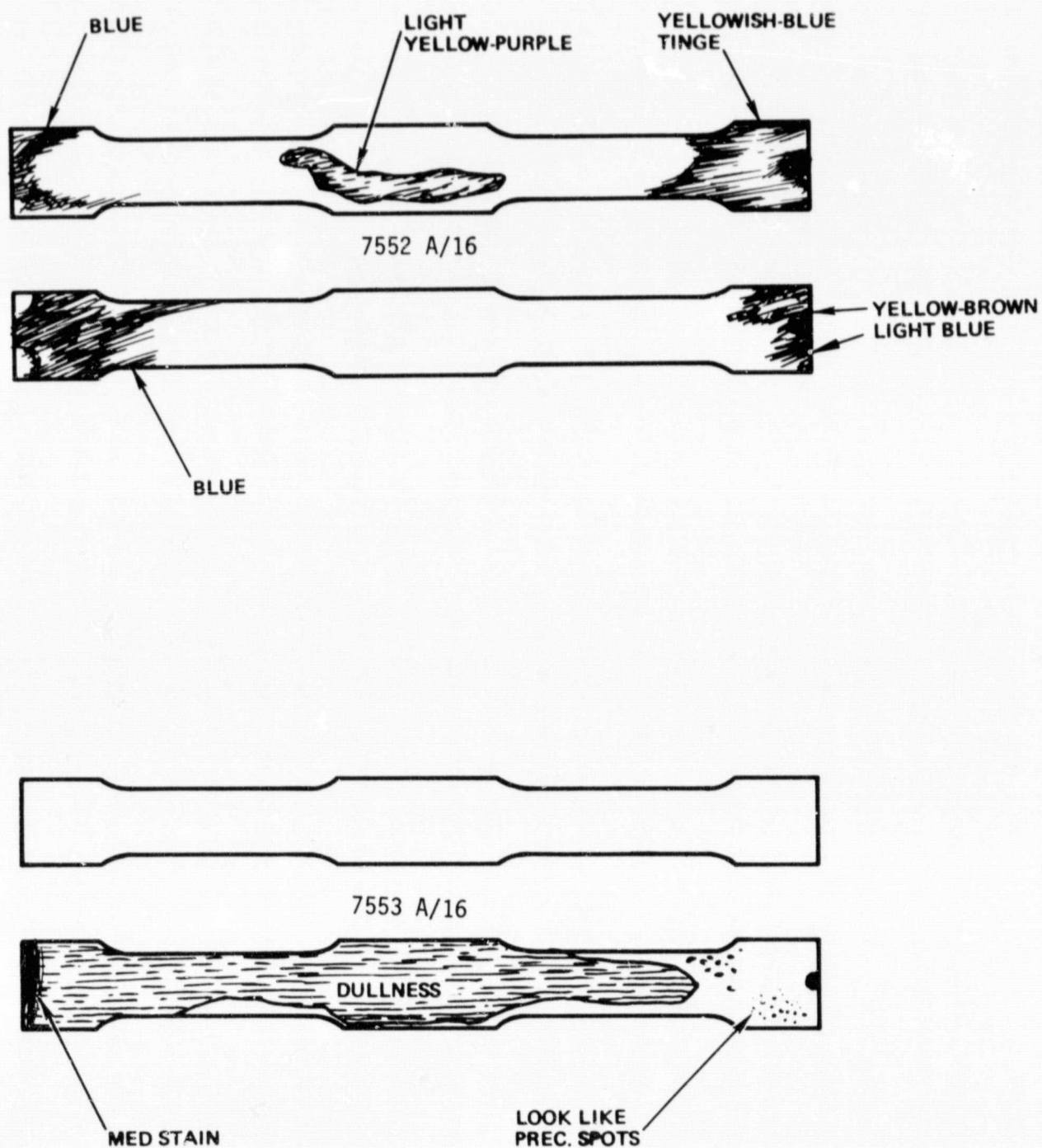
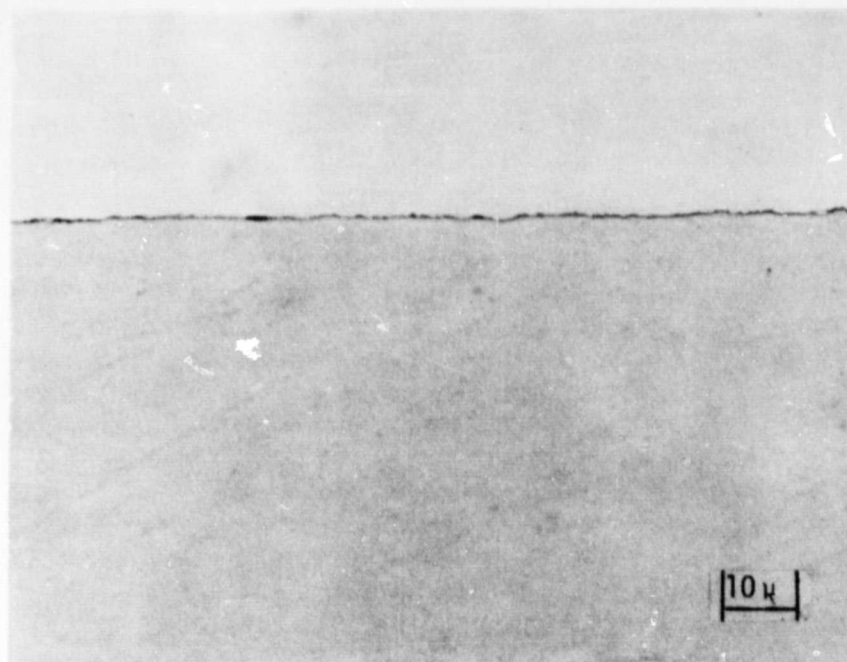
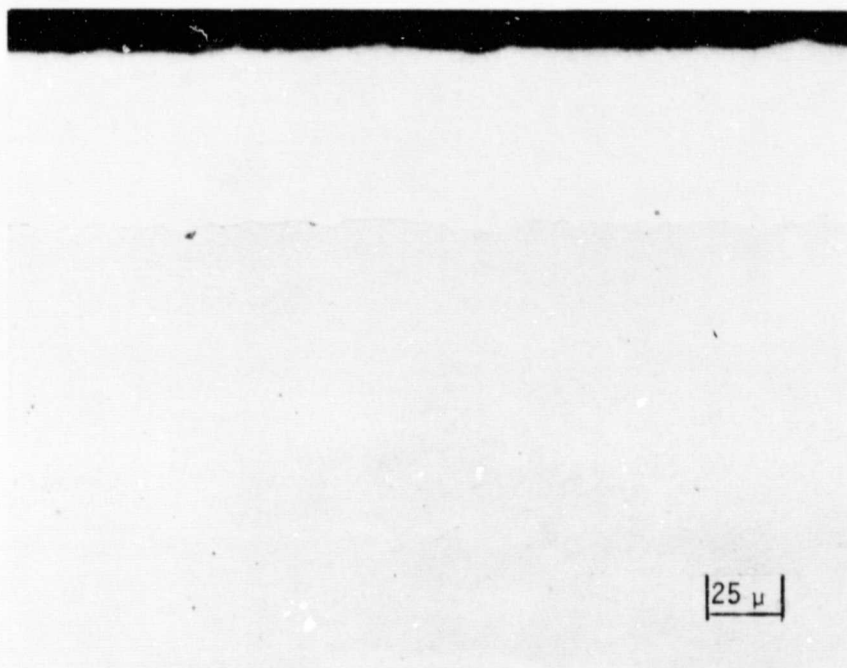


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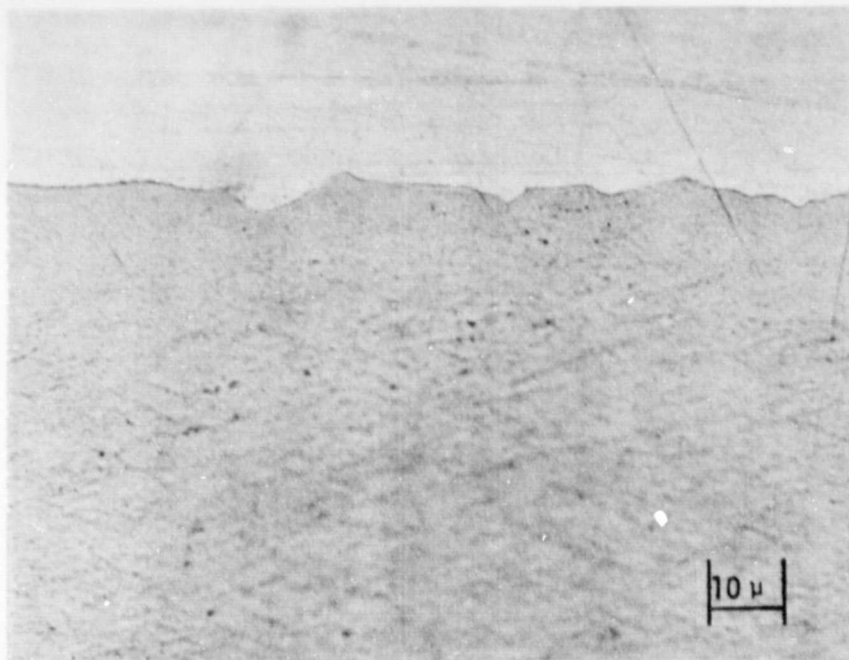


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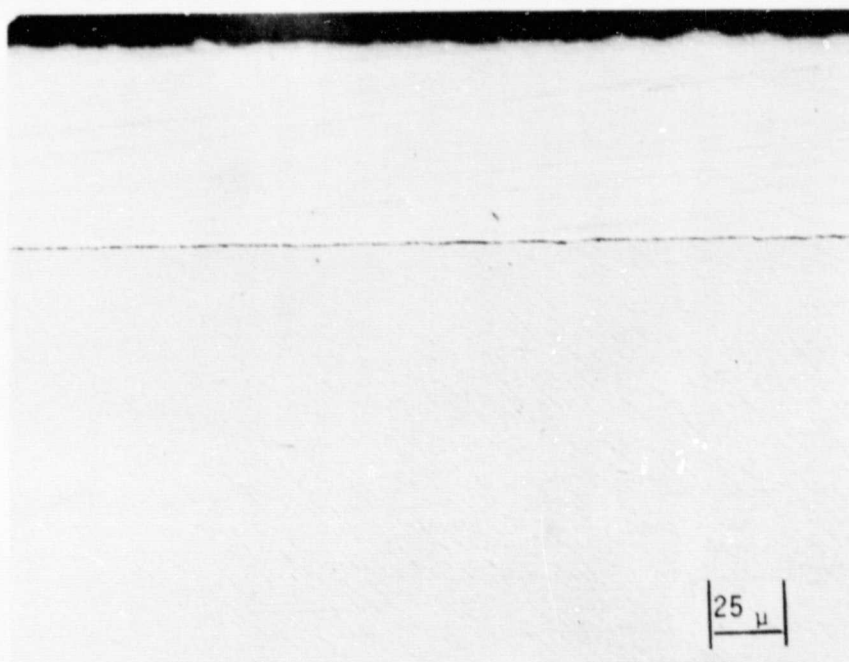
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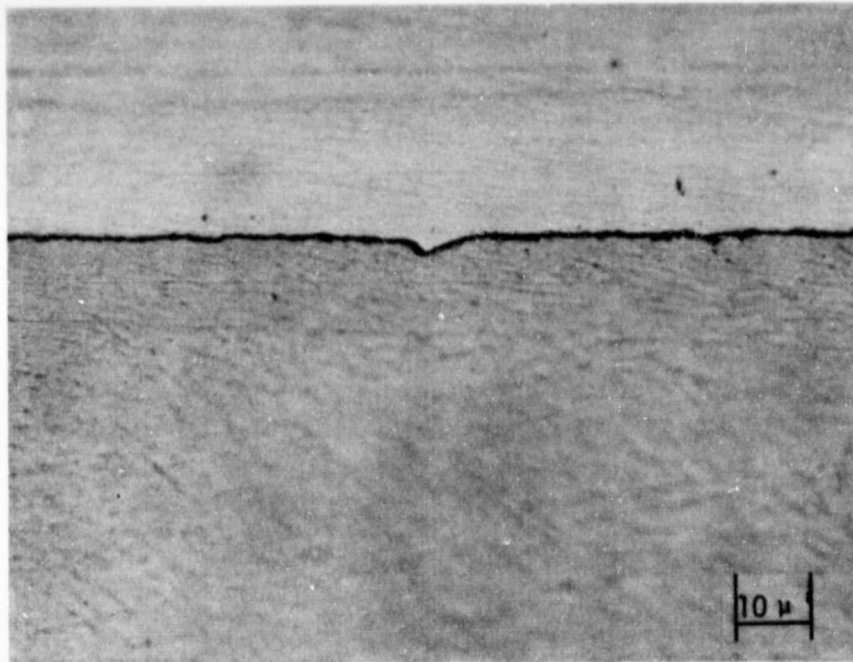


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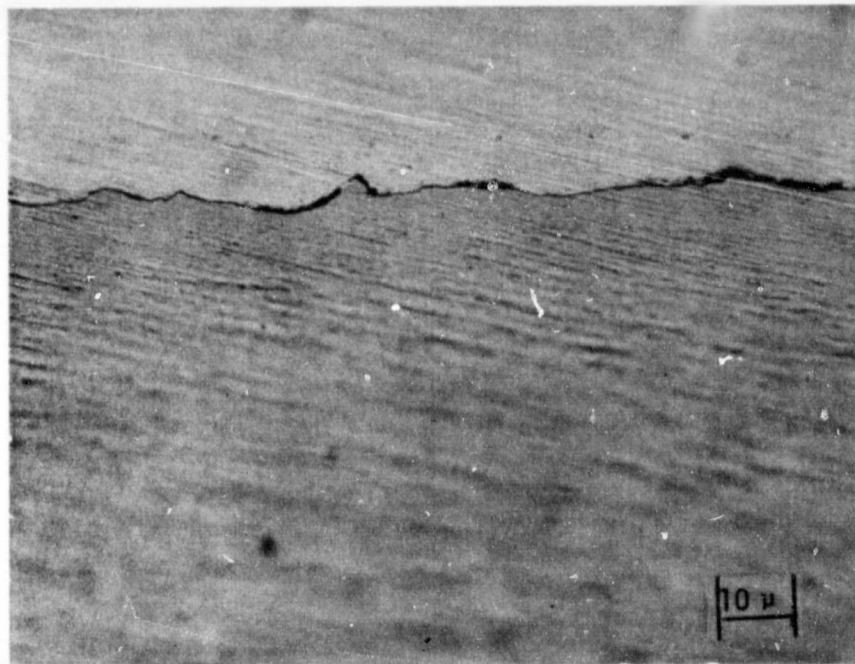


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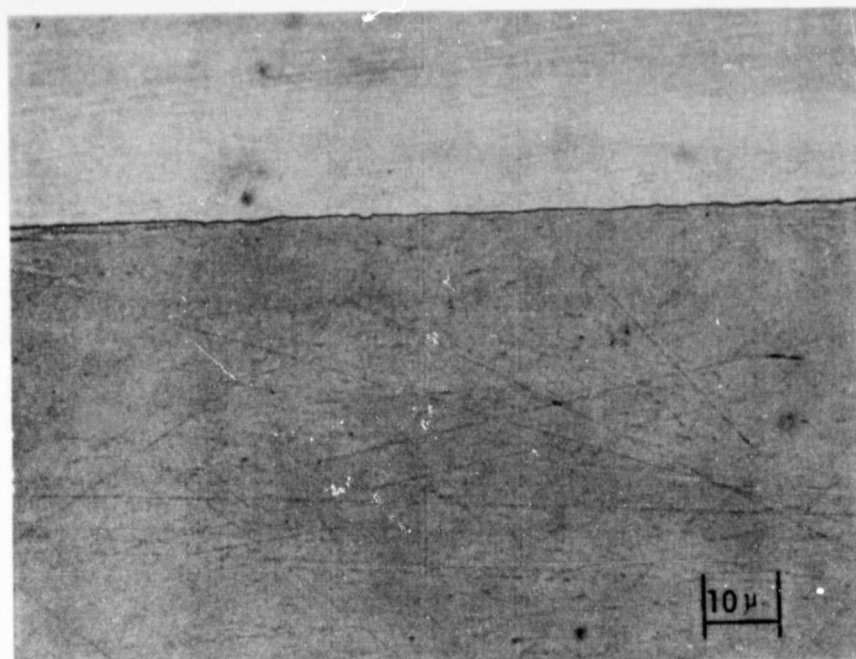


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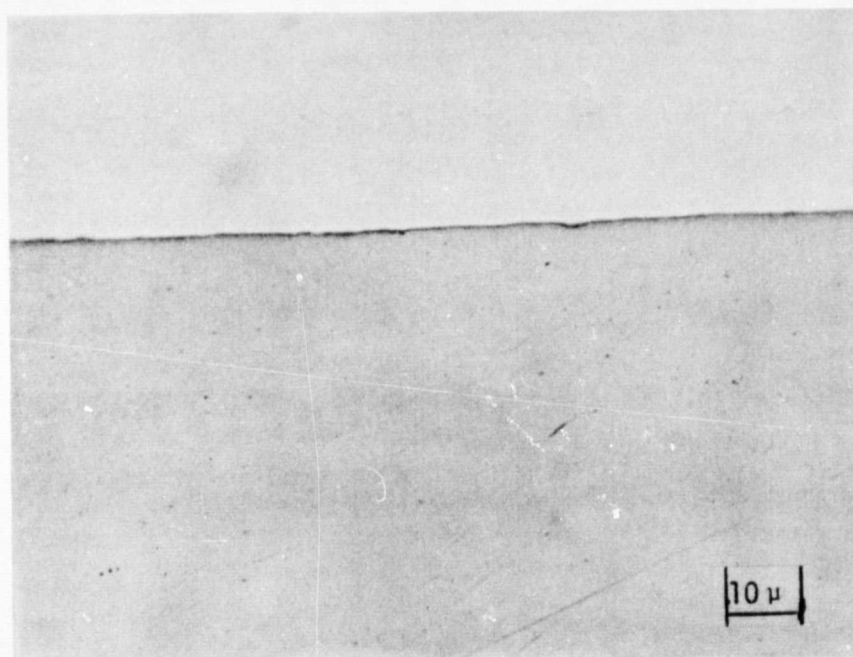


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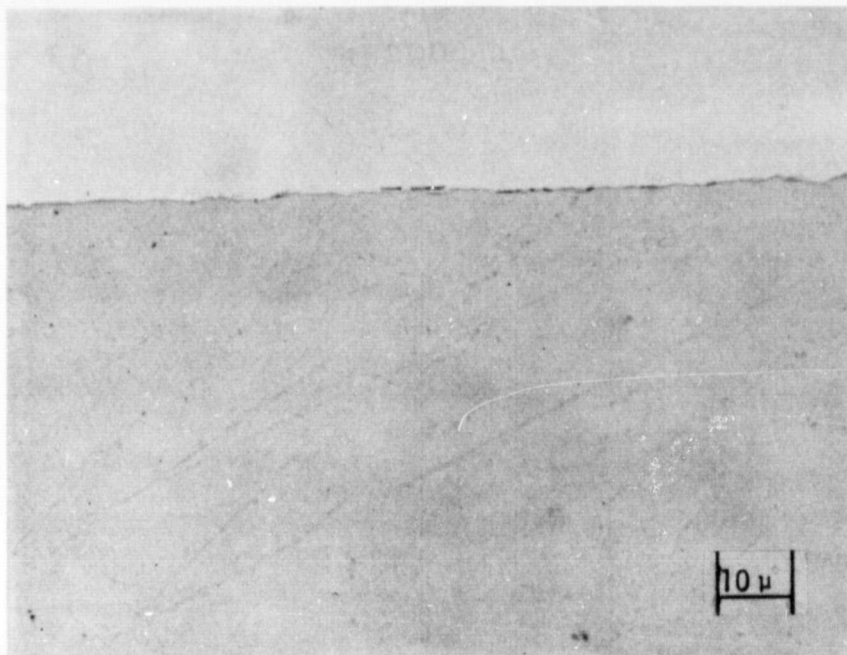
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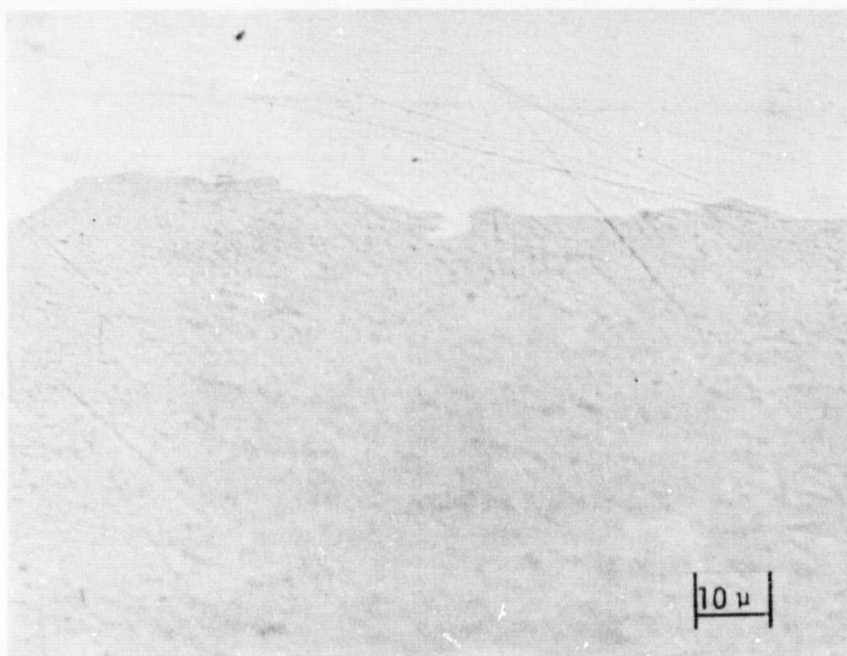
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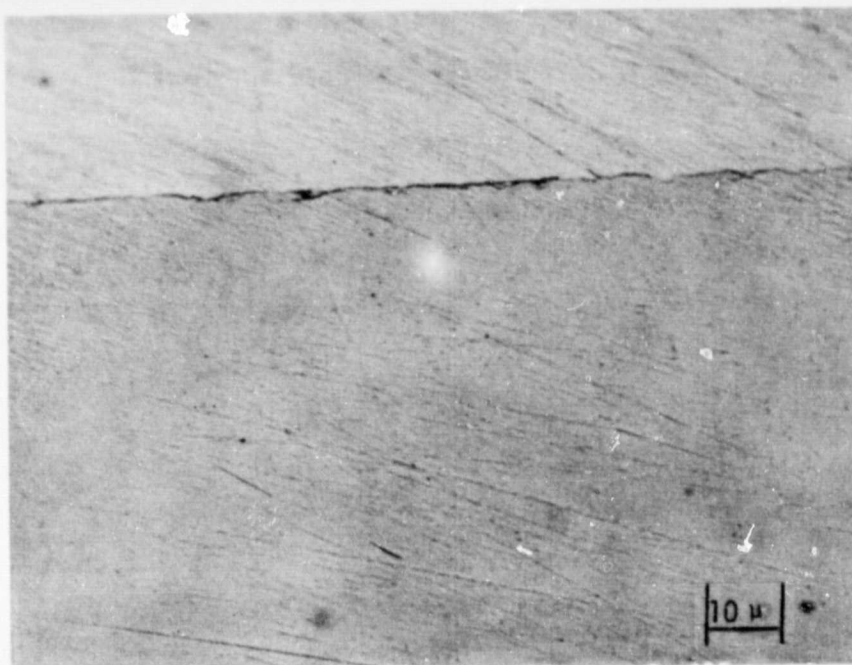
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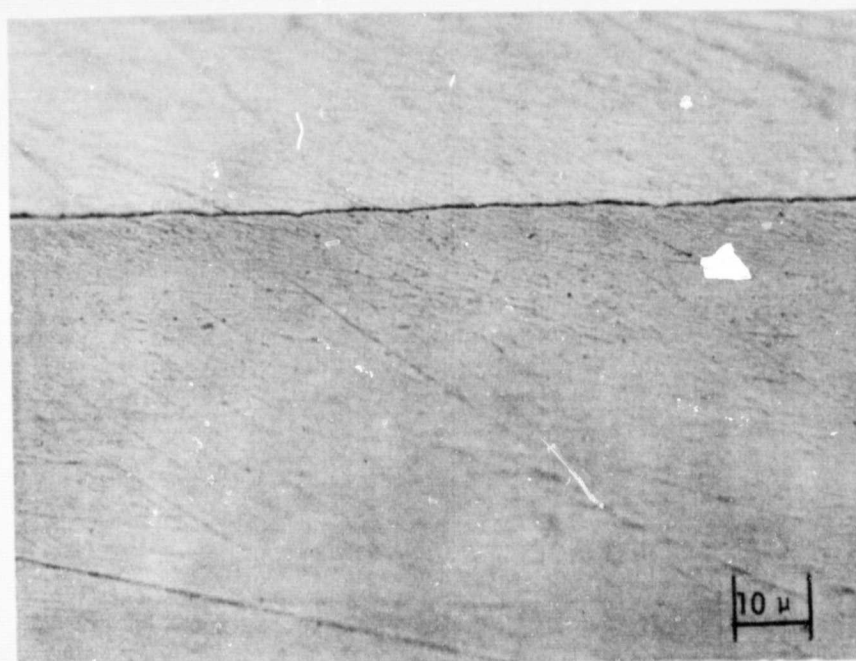
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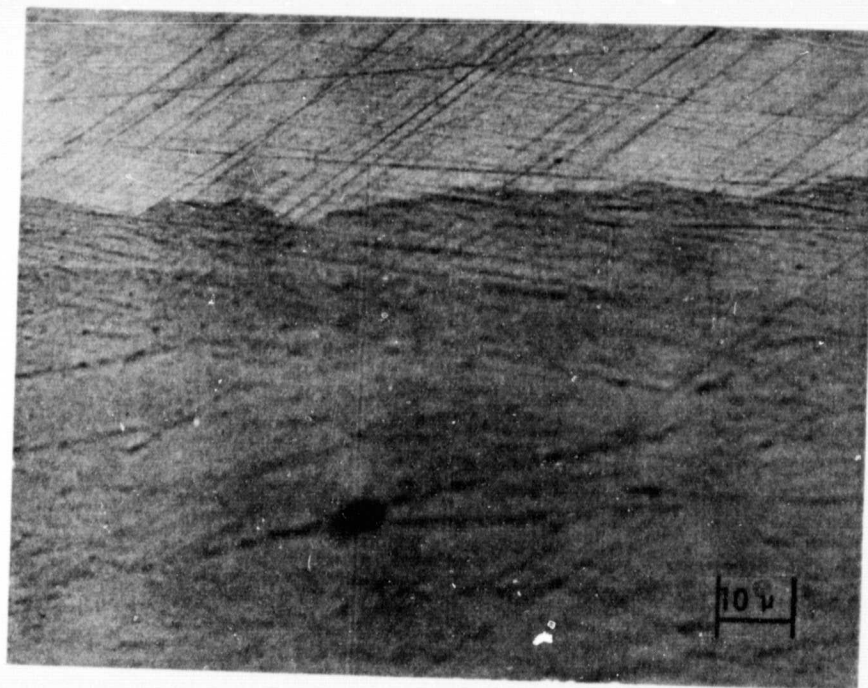


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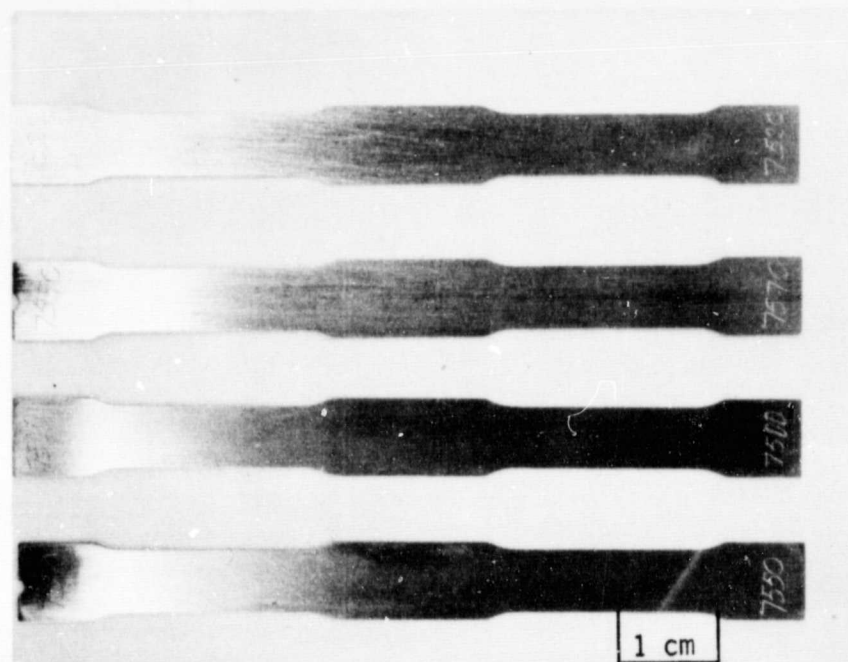
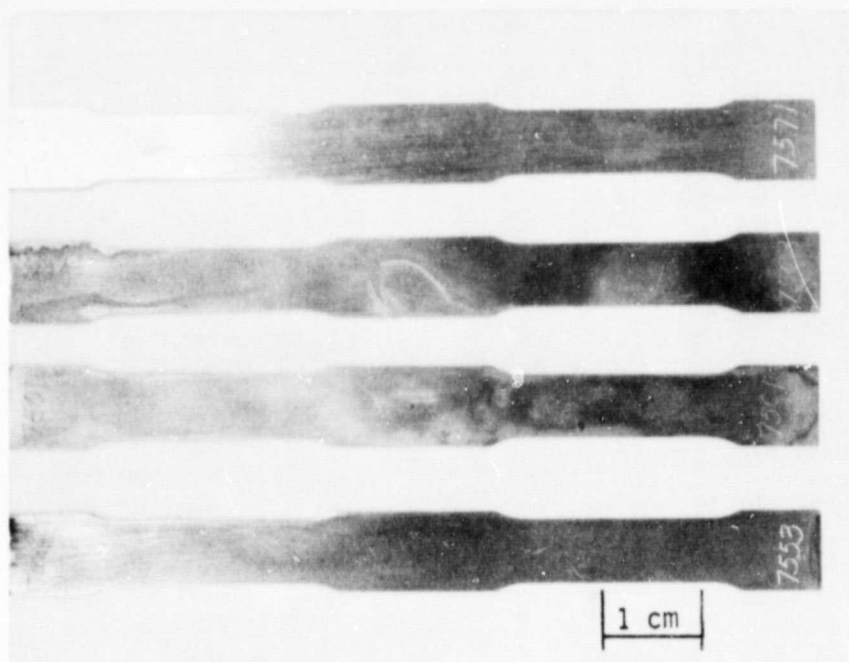
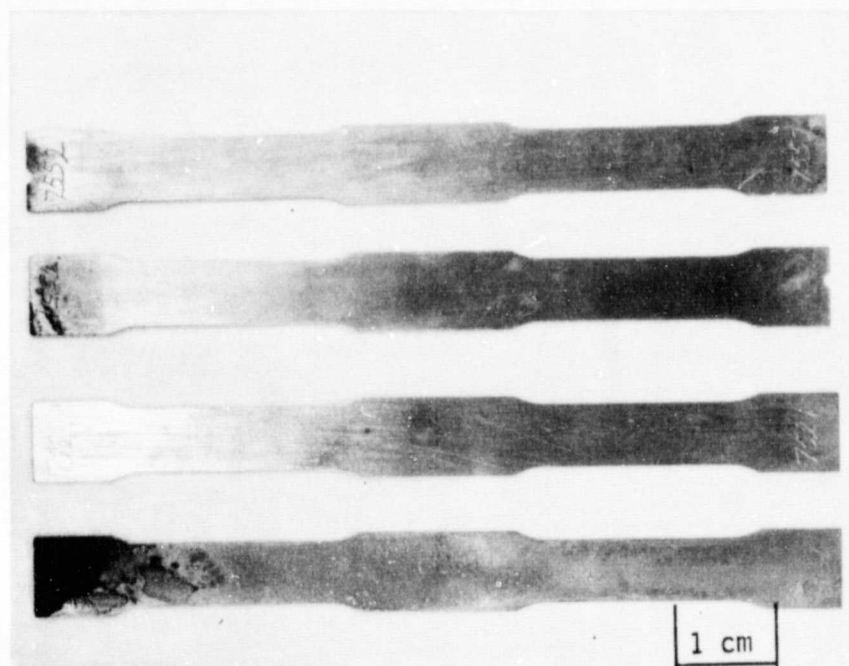


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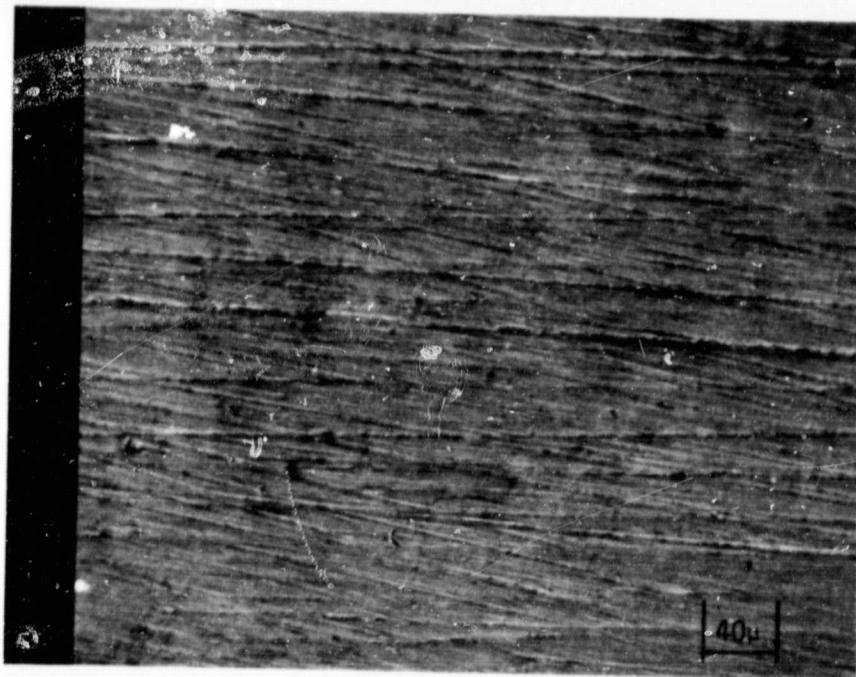
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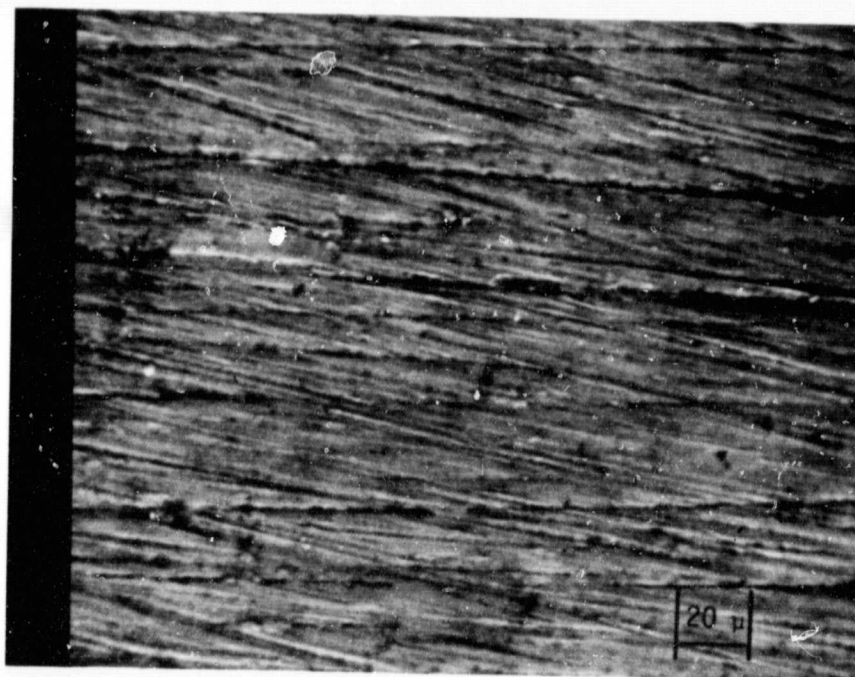
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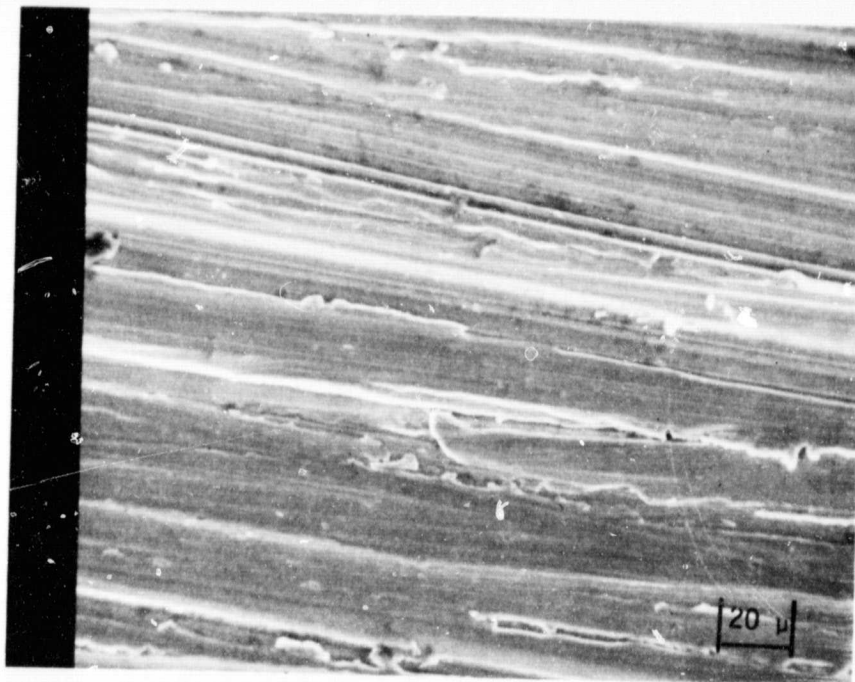


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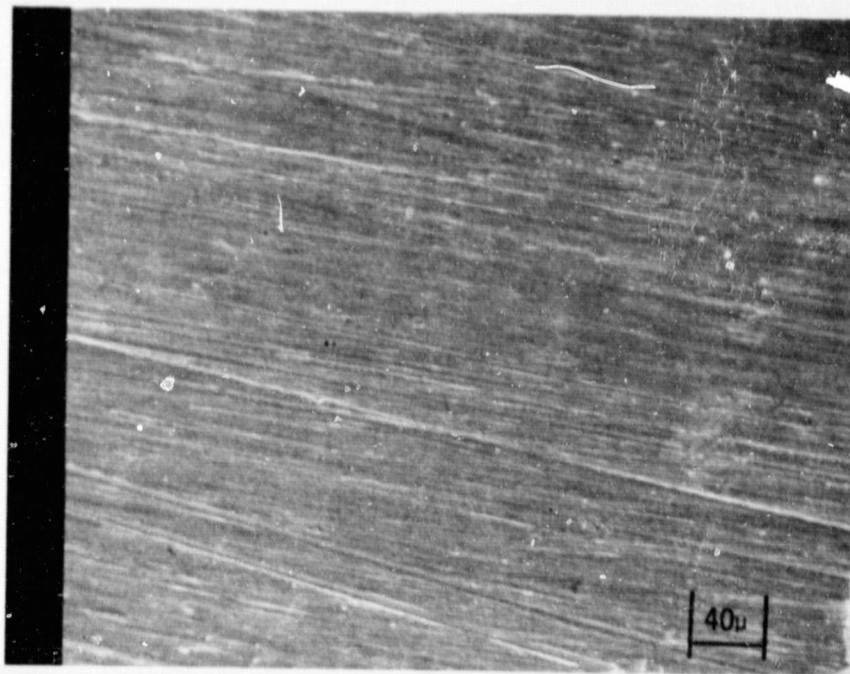
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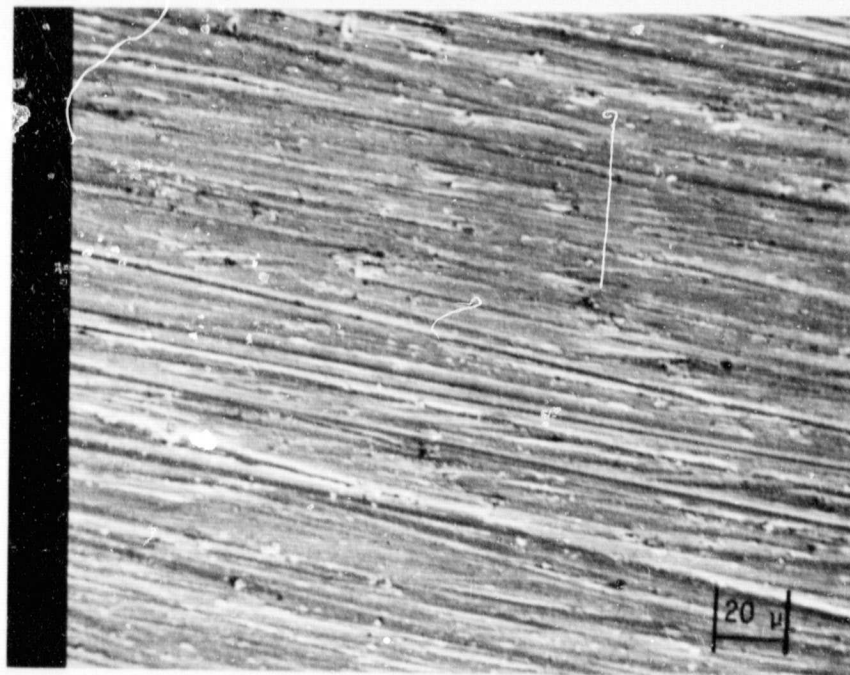
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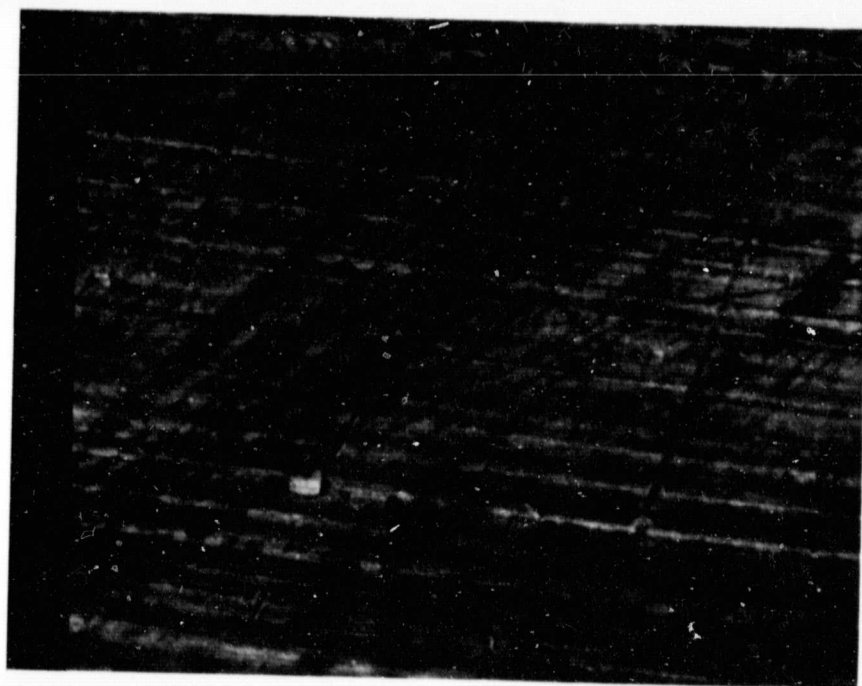


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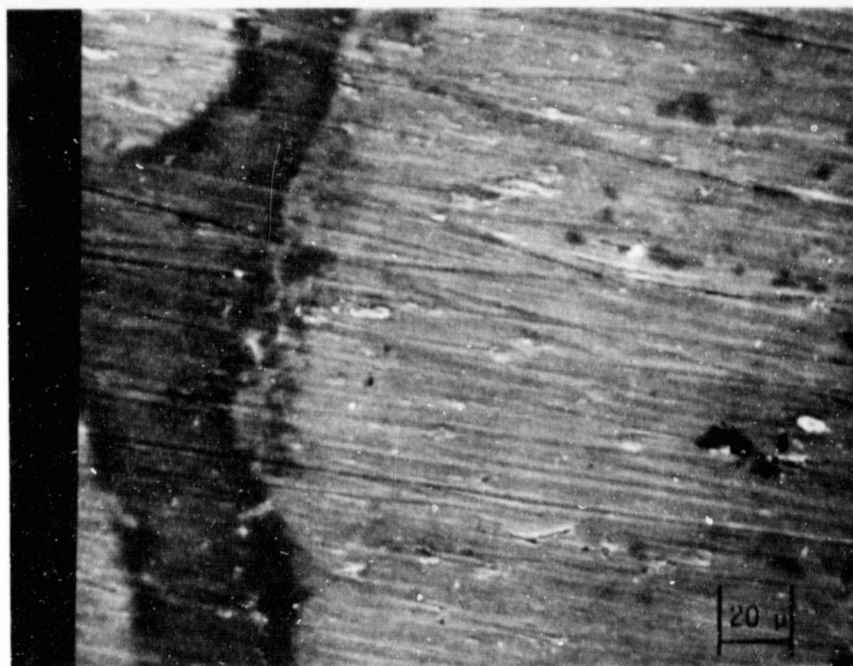
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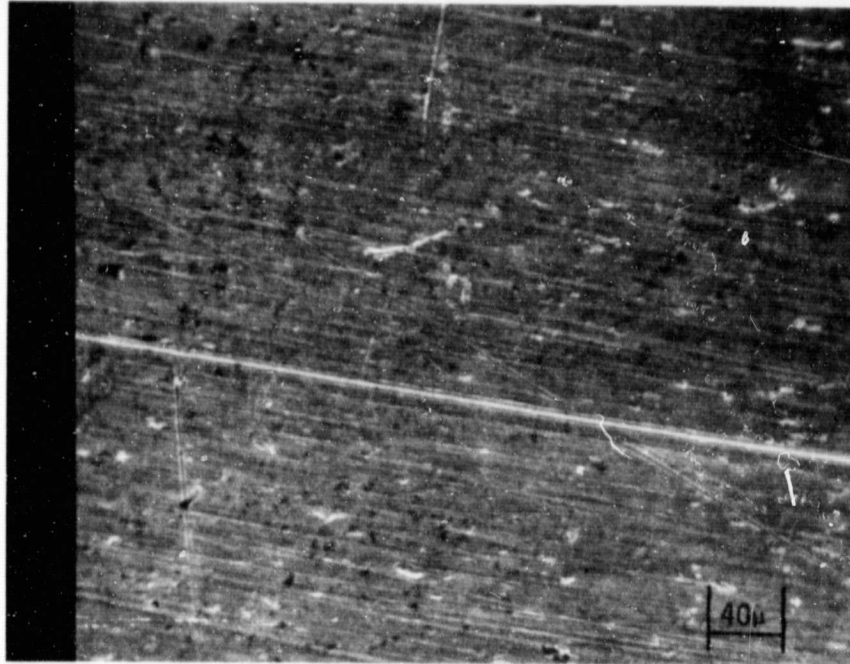


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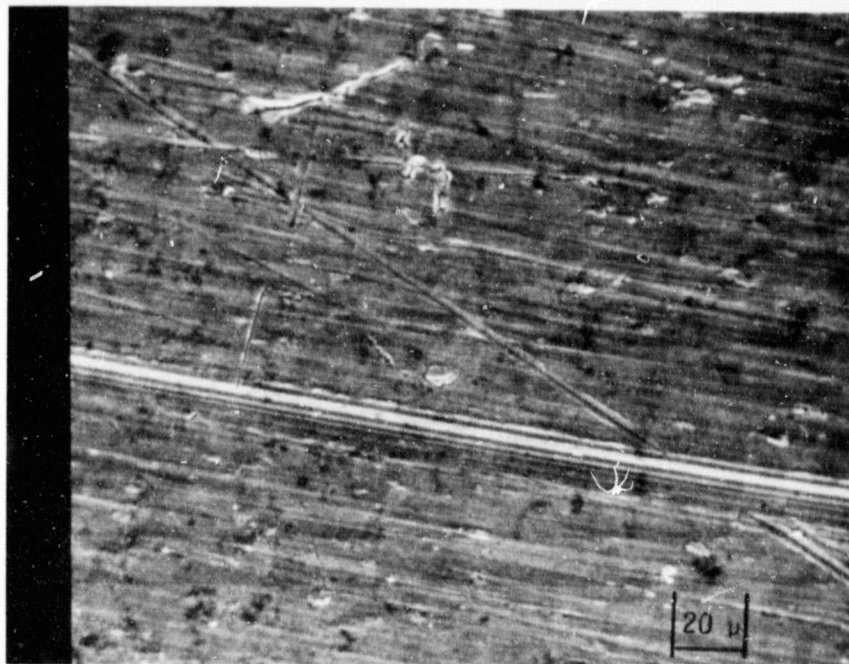


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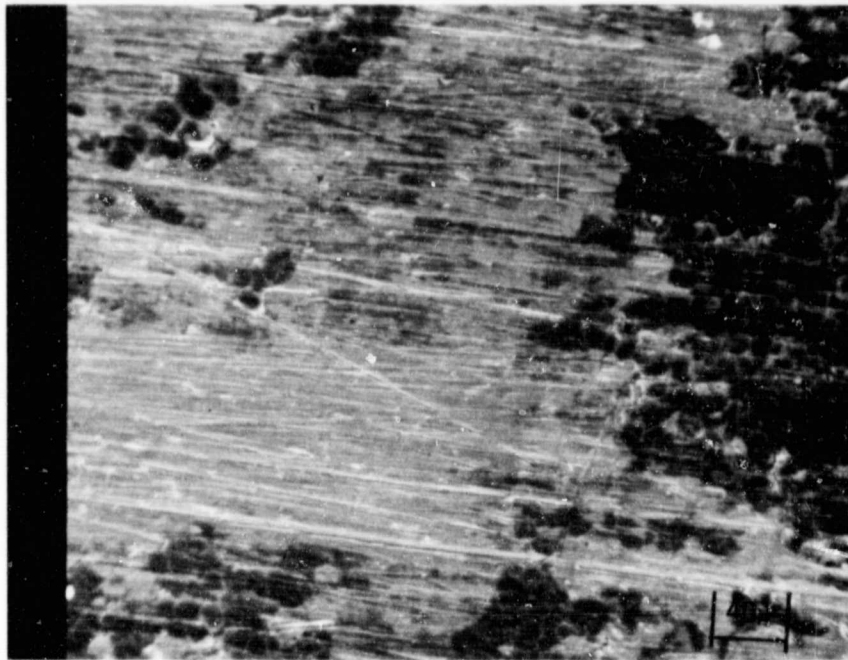


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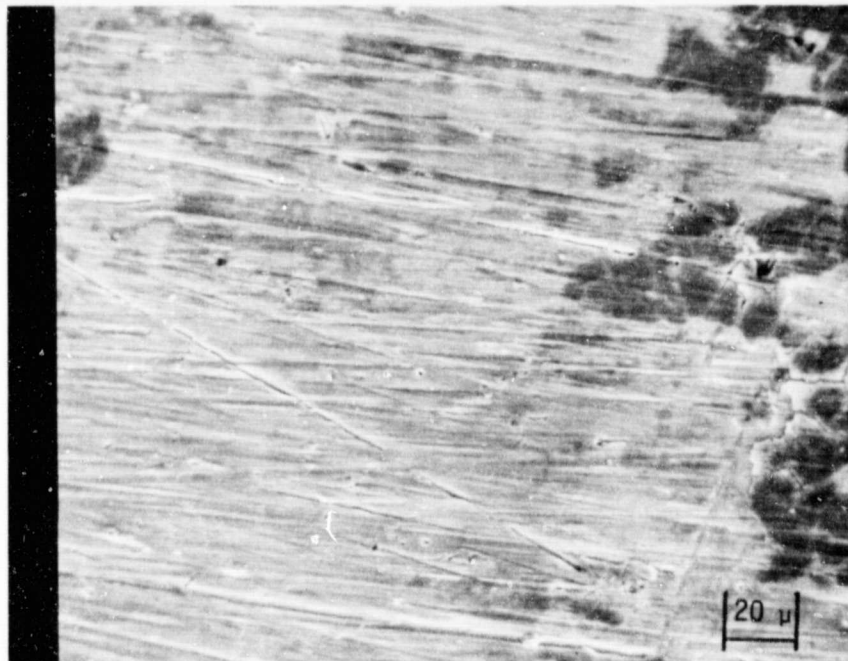


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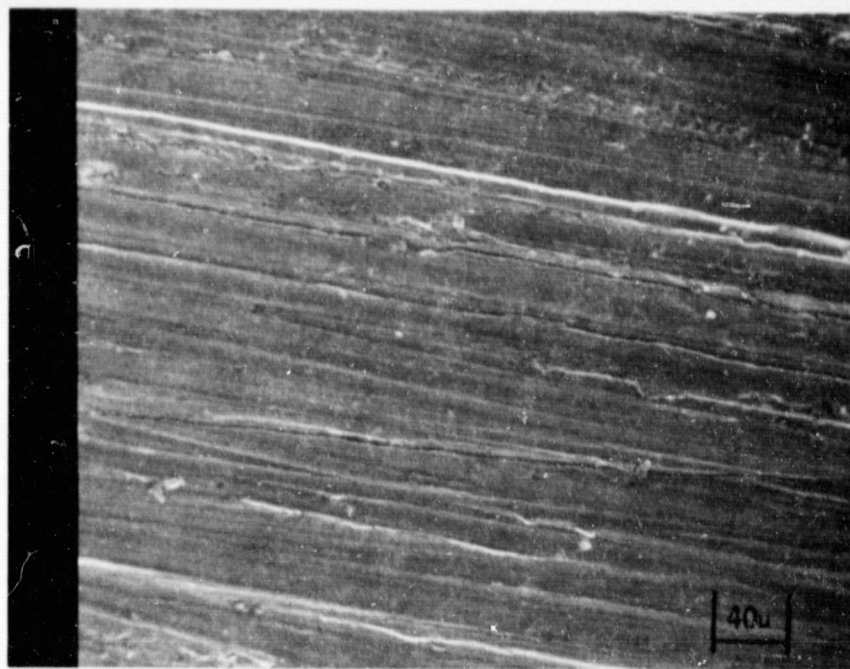


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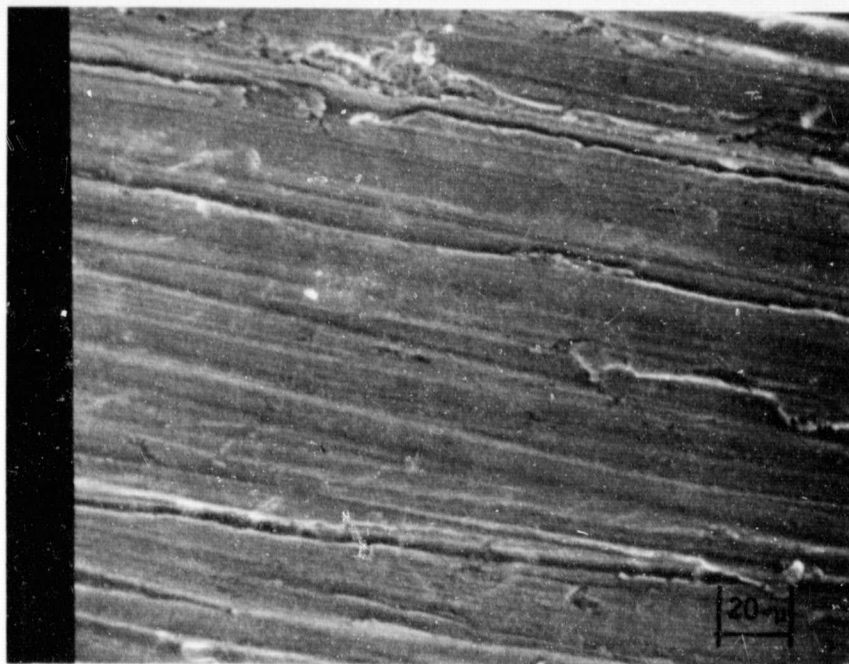
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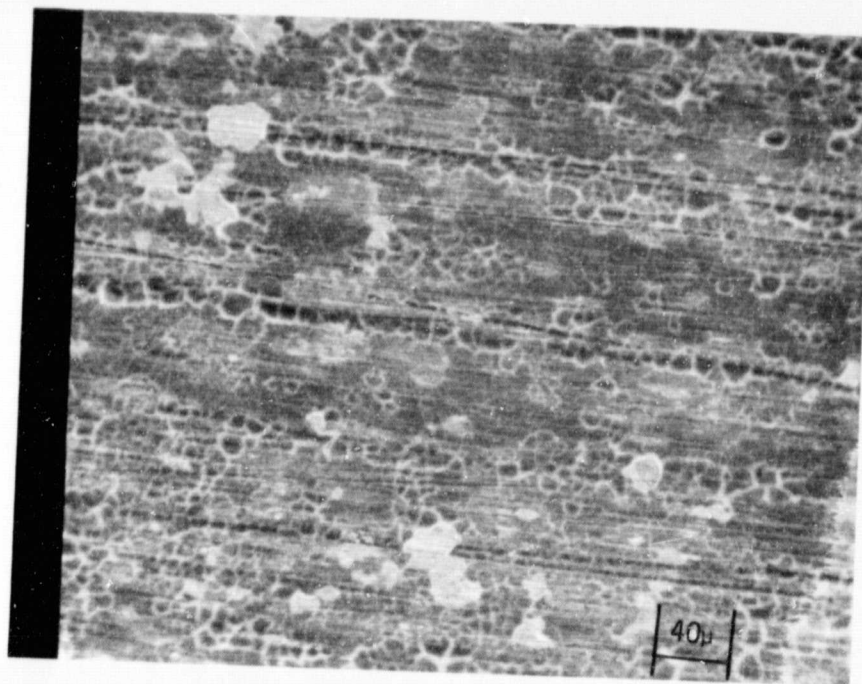


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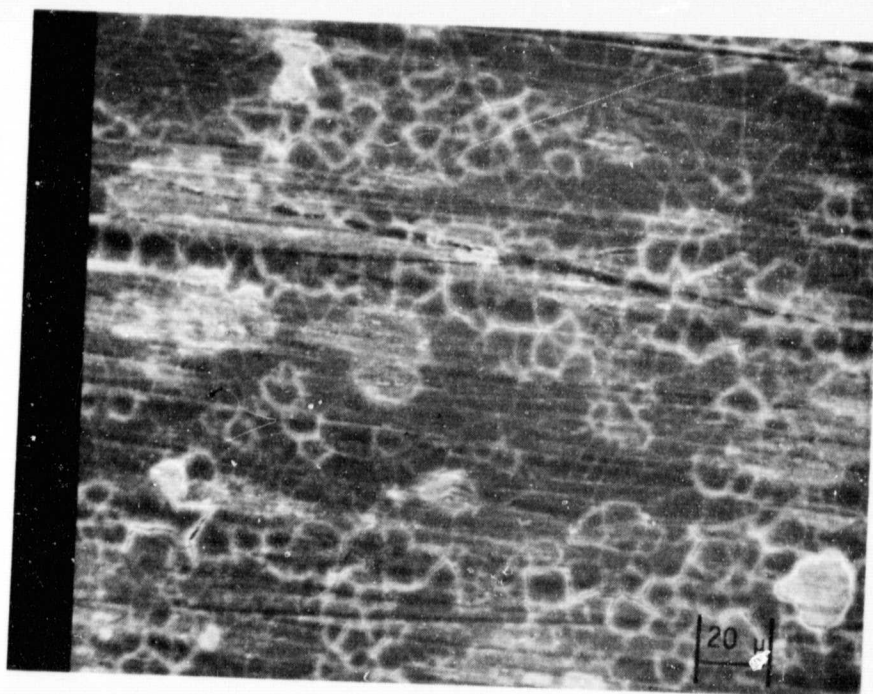


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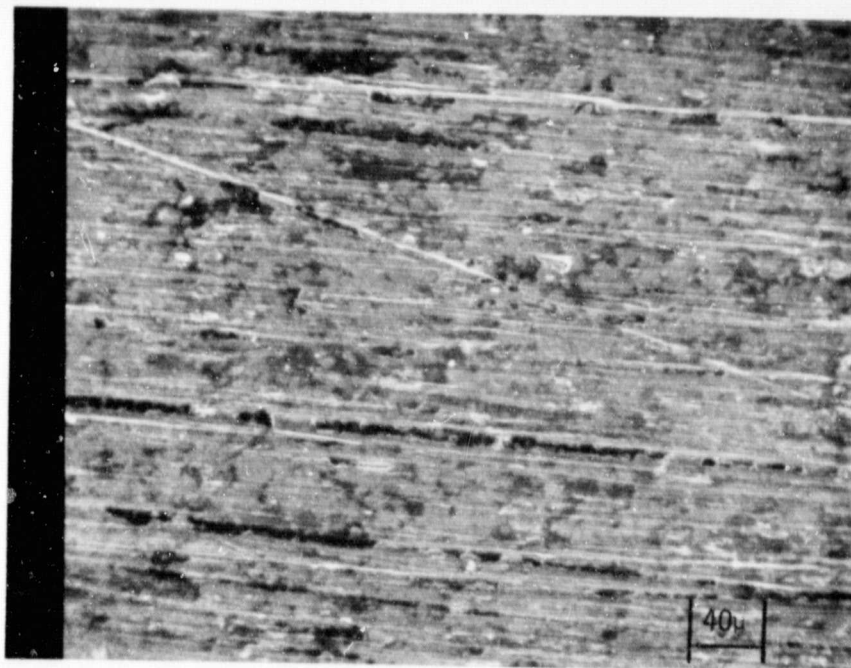


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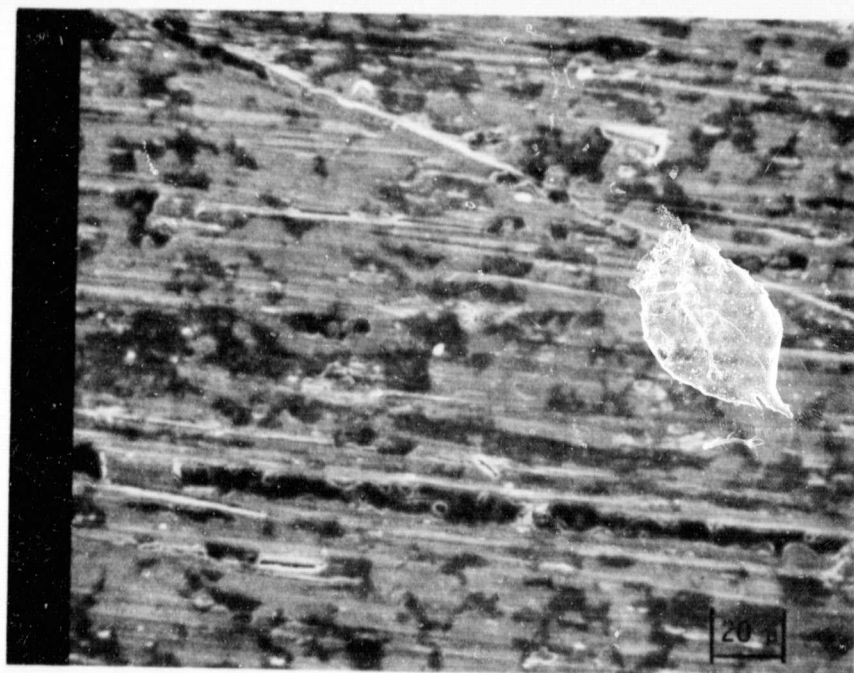
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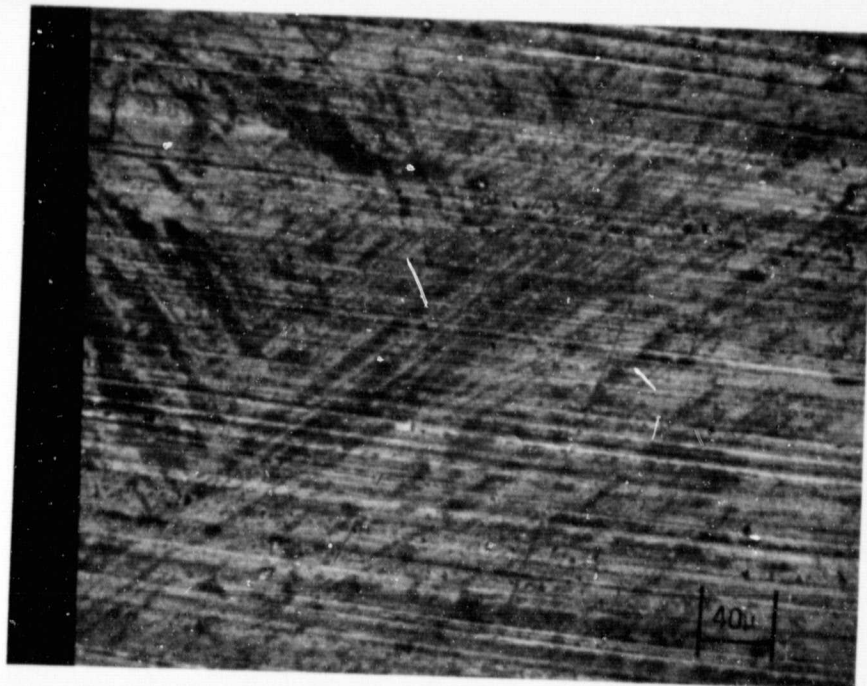


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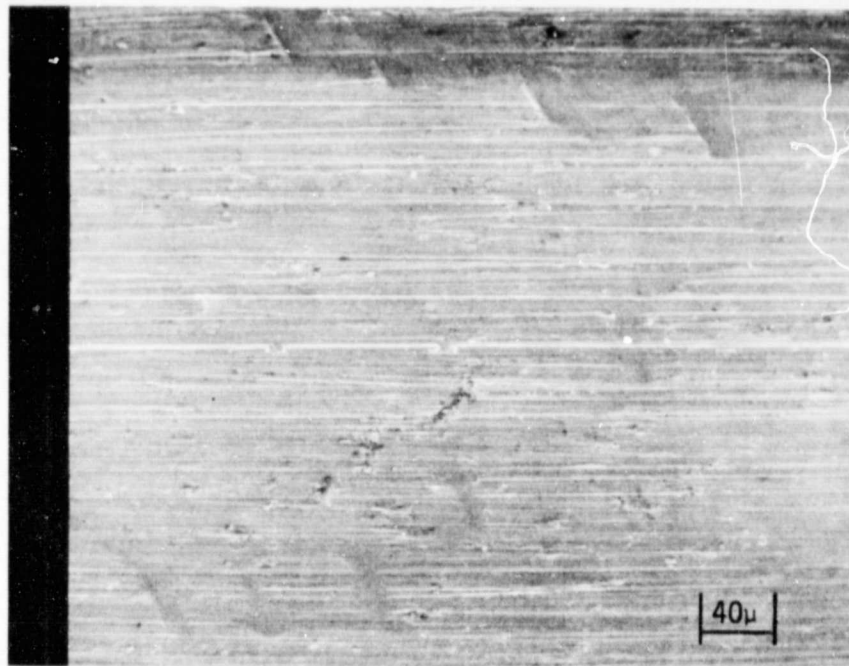


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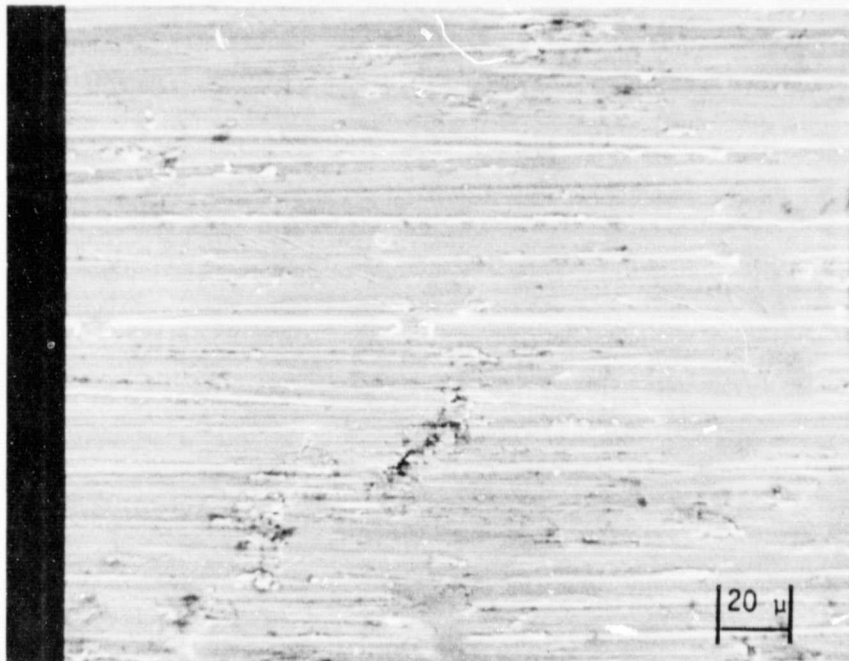
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7500



2 mm

7520



2 mm

Figure E-8: Photographs of Fractured Tensile Coupons,  
Unpassivated, 298K

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2 mm

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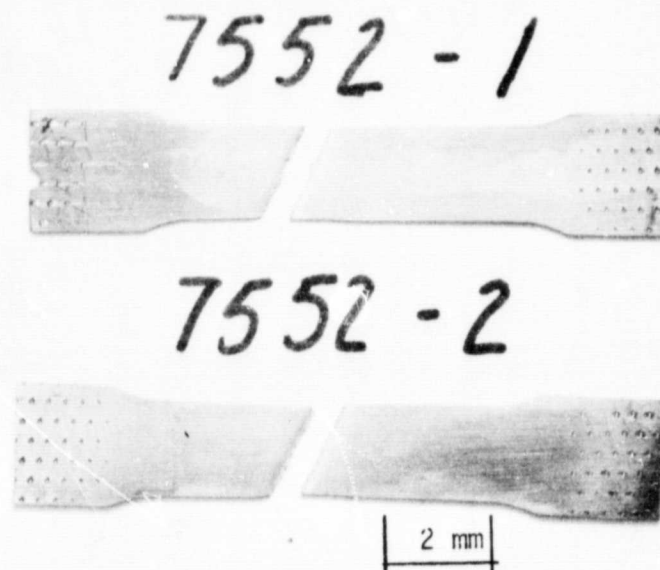
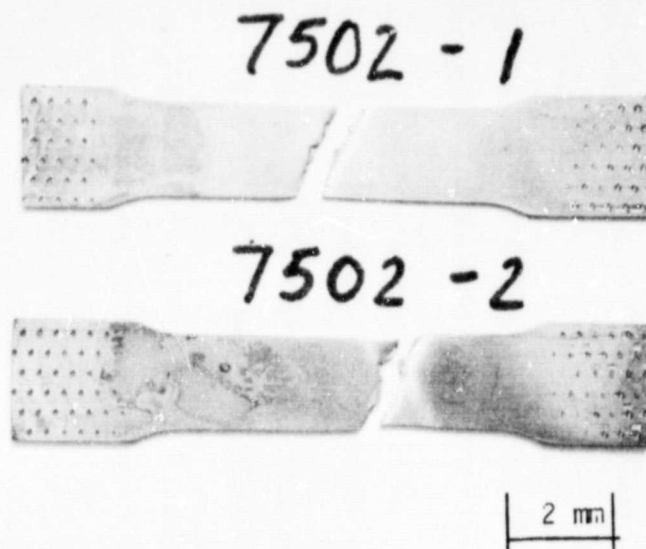


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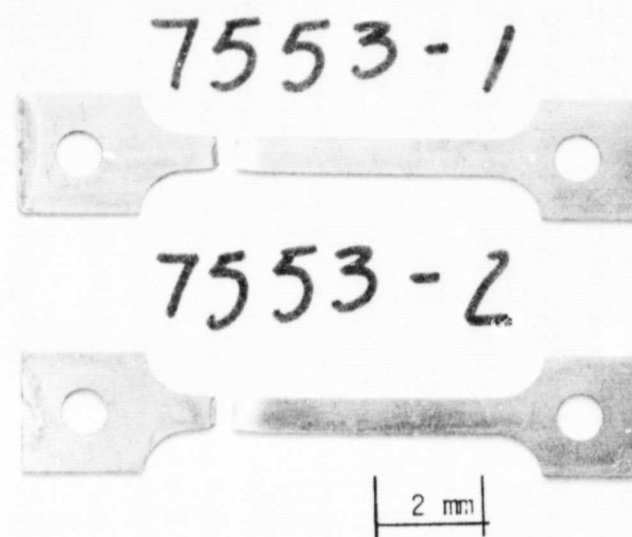
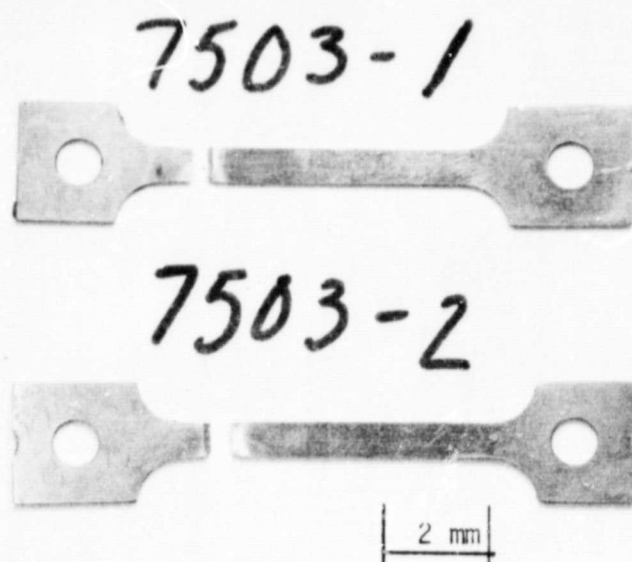


Figure E-10. Photographs of Fractured Tensile Coupons, Passivated, 77K

TABLE E-1: PIT DEPTH FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION: PRE-IMMERSION COUPONS

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits in Various Average Depth Ranges (10 <sup>-4</sup> cm)						
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6	Group 7
Range	0.01-0.64	0.65-1.28	1.29-1.92	1.93-2.56	2.57-3.20	3.21-3.84	3.85-4.48
Mean	(0.325)	(0.965)	(1.61)	(2.24)	(2.89)	(3.42)	(4.16)
7500	11.1	88.9	0	0	0	0	0
7520	0	38.9	11.1	27.8	16.7	0	5.6
7550	0	40.0	0	30.0	30.0	0	0
7570	0	33.3	11.1	33.3	11.1	0	11.1
7501	15.4	61.5	0	15.4	7.7	0	0
7502	35.7	57.1	7.1	0	0	0	0
7503	12.5	50.0	6.25	31.25	0	0	0
7521	0	81.8	0	9.1	9.1	0	0
7551	0	60.0	0	40.0	0	0	0
7552	15.4	69.2	0	15.4	0	0	0
7553	0	90.0	0	10.0	0	0	0
7571	0	66.7	0	22.2	11.1	0	0

TABLE E-II: PIT AREA FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION: PRE-IMMERSION COUPONS

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits in Various Average Area Ranges ( $10^{-7}\text{cm}^2$ )						
	Group 1 0.001-0.049 (0.025)	Group 2 0.050-0.099 (0.0745)	Group 3 0.100-0.490 (0.295)	Group 4 0.500-0.990 (0.745)	Group 5 1.000-4.999 (3.000)	Group 6 5.000-9.999 (7.500)	Group 7 10.000-14.999 (12.500)
7500	22.2	22.2	11.1	33.3	11.1	0	0
7520	5.6	11.1	11.1	27.8	27.8	5.6	11.1
7550	0	0	10.0	30.0	50.0	10.0	0
7570	11.1	0	22.2	22.2	33.3	11.1	0
7501	15.4	23.1	15.4	15.4	30.8	0	0
7502	0	0	28.6	42.9	28.6	0	0
7503	0	0	12.5	25.0	50.0	6.2	6.2
7521	18.2	9.1	54.5	18.2	0	0	0
7551	0	0	40.0	40.0	20.0	0	0
7552	15.4	7.7	38.5	15.4	23.1	0	0
7553	0	10.0	60.0	30.0	0	0	0
7571	0	0	55.6	33.3	11.1	0	0

TABLE E-III: PIT DEPTH/DIAMETER RATIO FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION: PRE-IMMERSION COUPONS

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits with Various Average Depth/Diameter ( $\frac{1}{d}$ ) Ratios						
	Group 1 0.01-0.20 (0.105)	Group 2 0.21-0.41 (0.31)	Group 3 0.42-0.52 (0.52)	Group 4 0.63-0.83 (0.73)	Group 5 0.84-1.04 (0.94)	Group 6 1.05-1.25 (1.15)	Group 7 1.26-2.00 (1.63)
7500	0	11	44	11	33	0	0
7520	0	11	44	11	22	11	0
7550	0	0	50	40	10	0	0
7570	0	0	22	22	56	0	0
7501	0	8	31	23	31	7	0
7502	21	57	22	0	0	0	0
7503	25	19	44	12	0	0	0
7521	0	0	18	18	36	0	27
7551	0	0	20	20	60	0	0
7552	0	15	38	23	23	0	0
7553	0	0	30	50	20	0	0
7571	0	0	22	33	45	0	0

APPENDIX F

APPEARANCE OF 29-MONTH IMMERSION COUPONS



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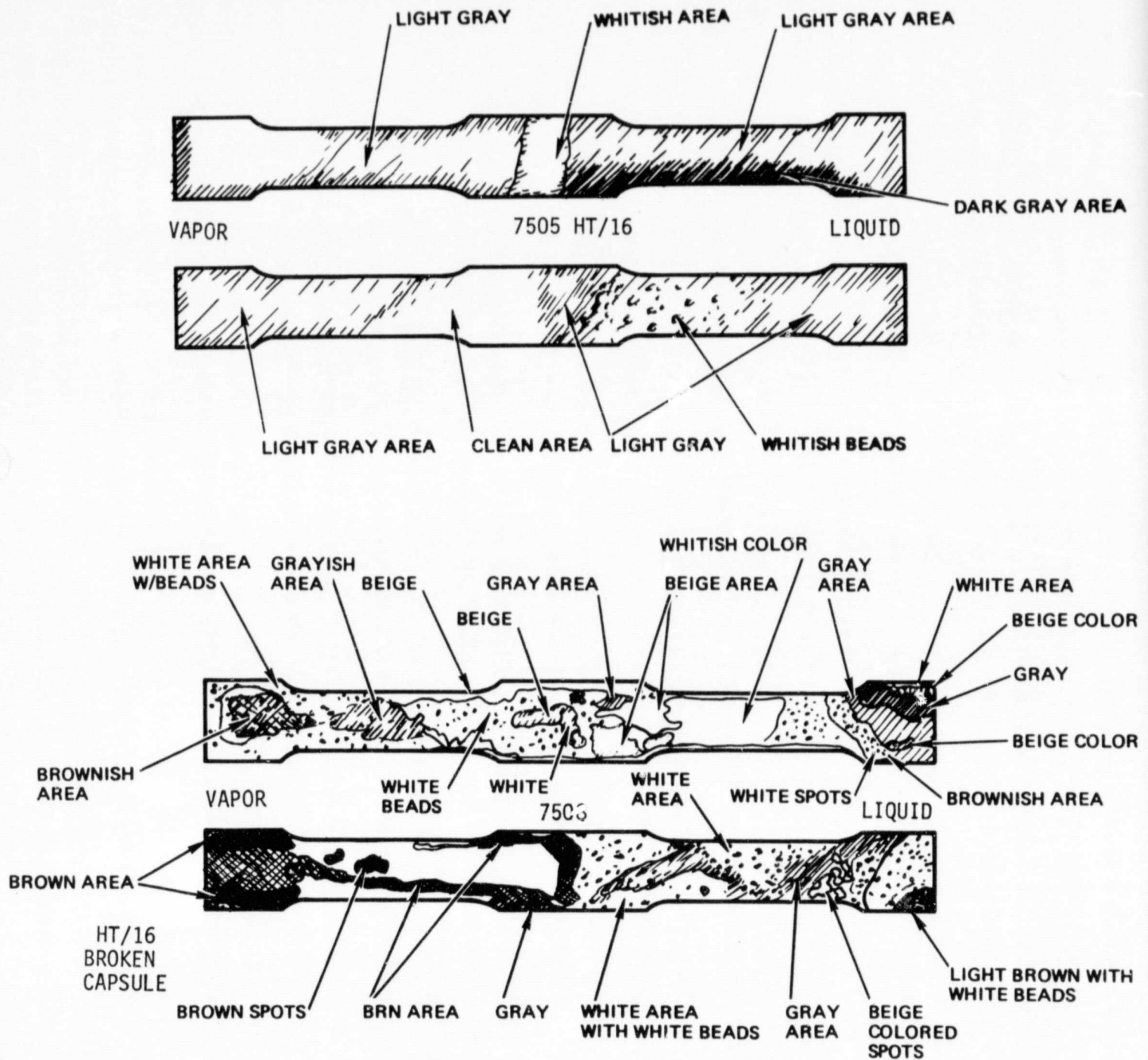


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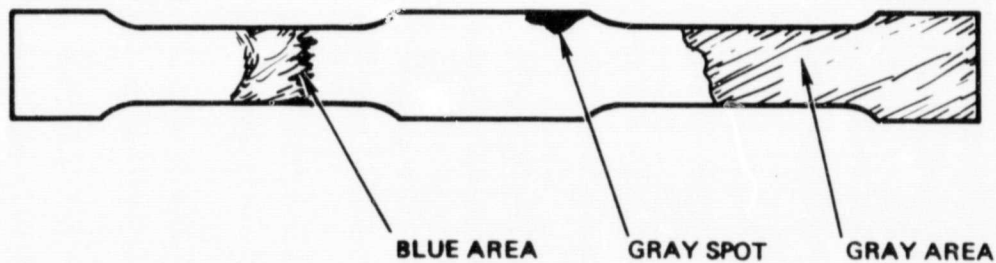
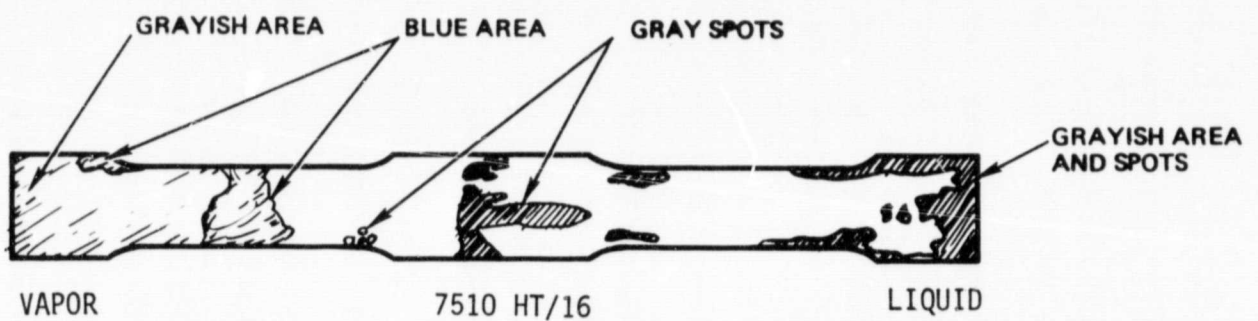
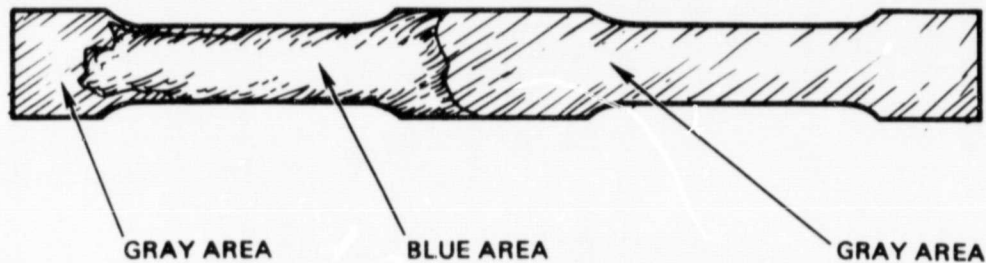
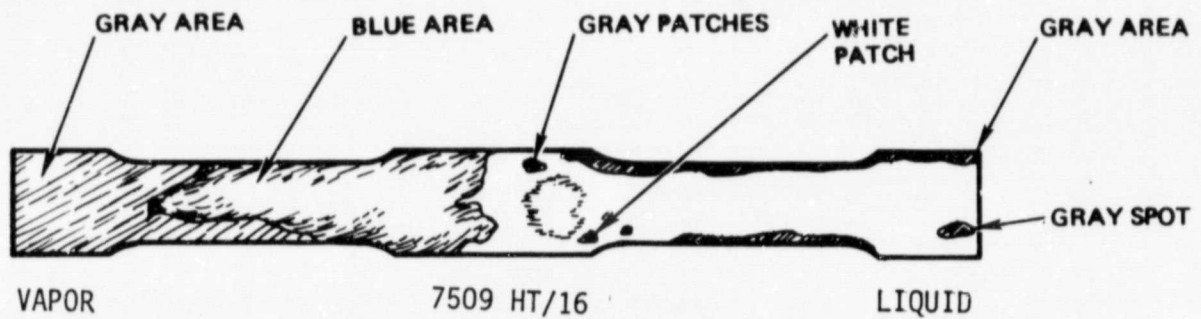


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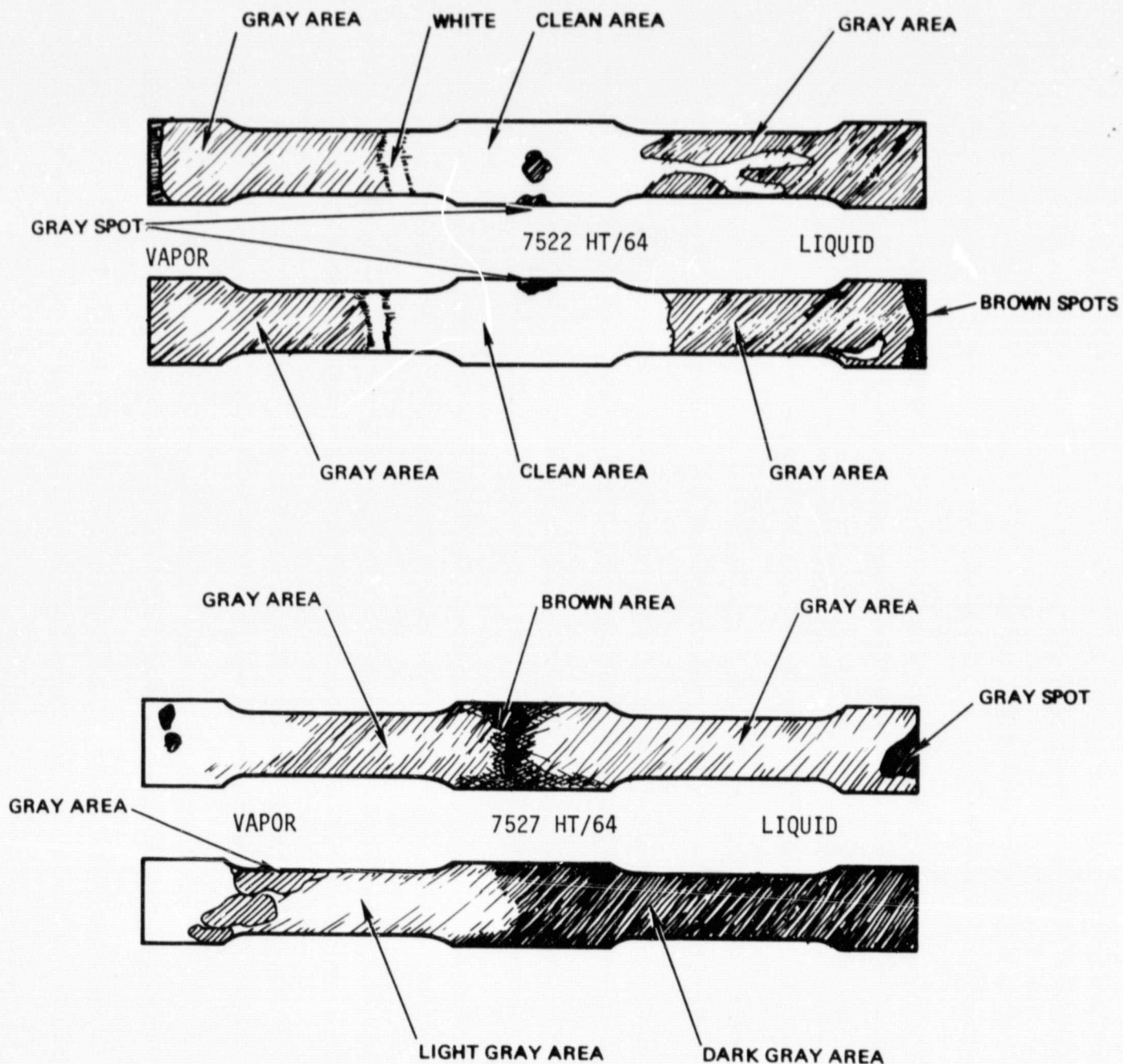


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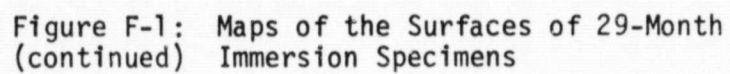
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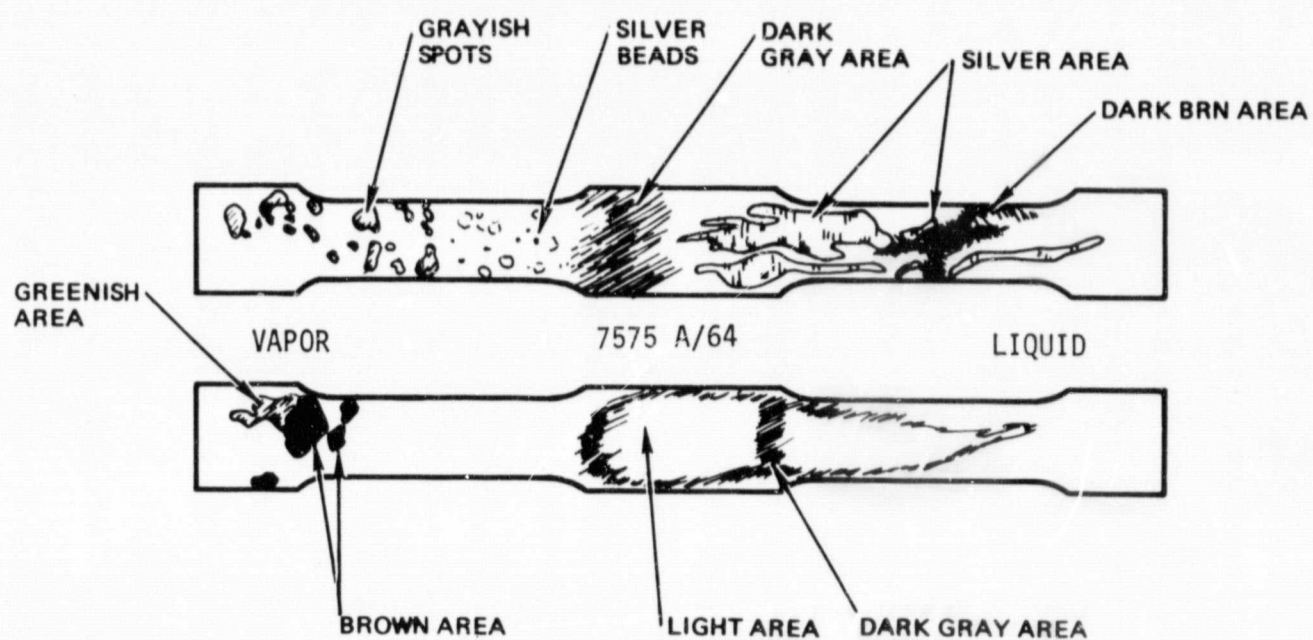


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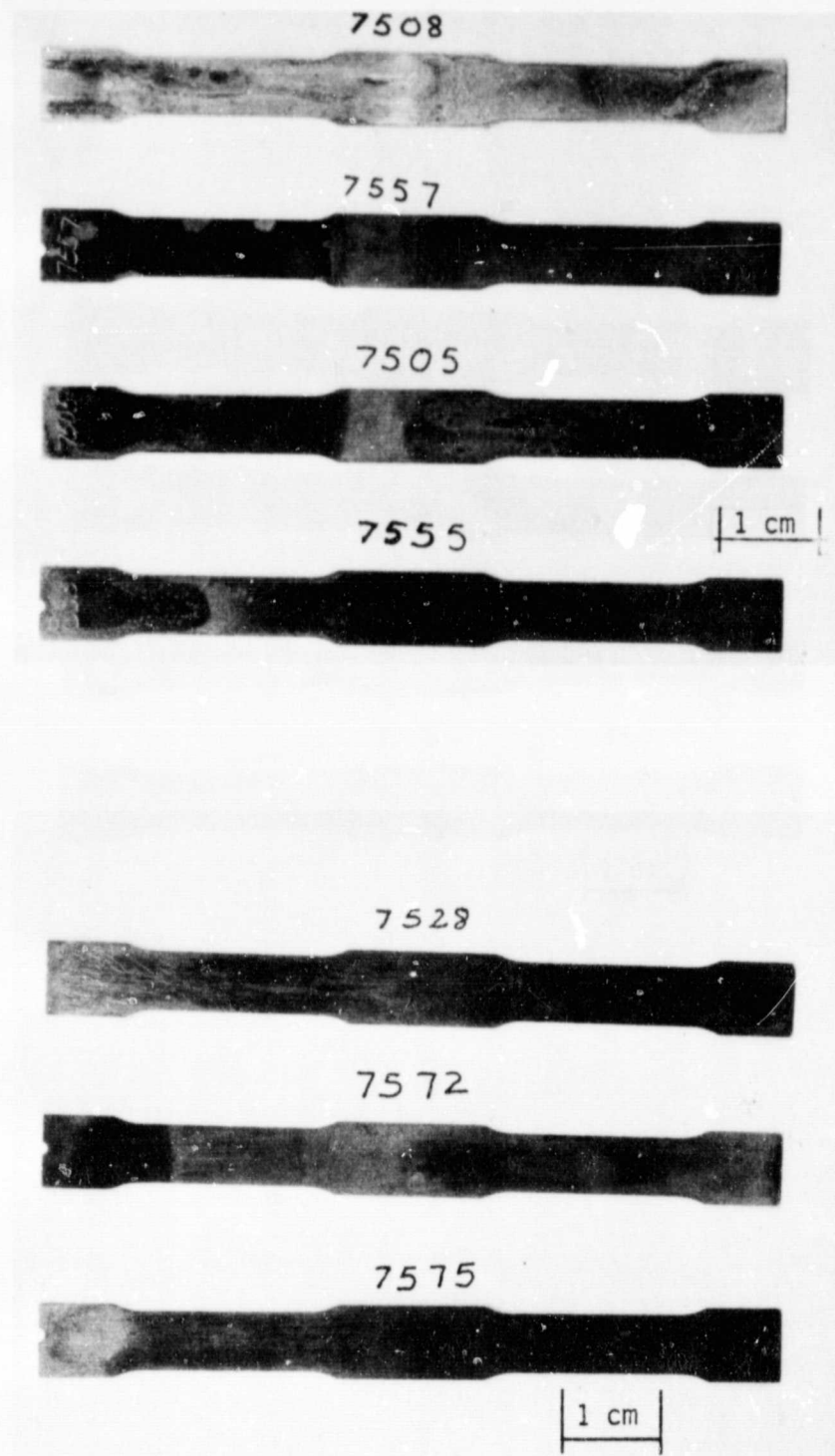
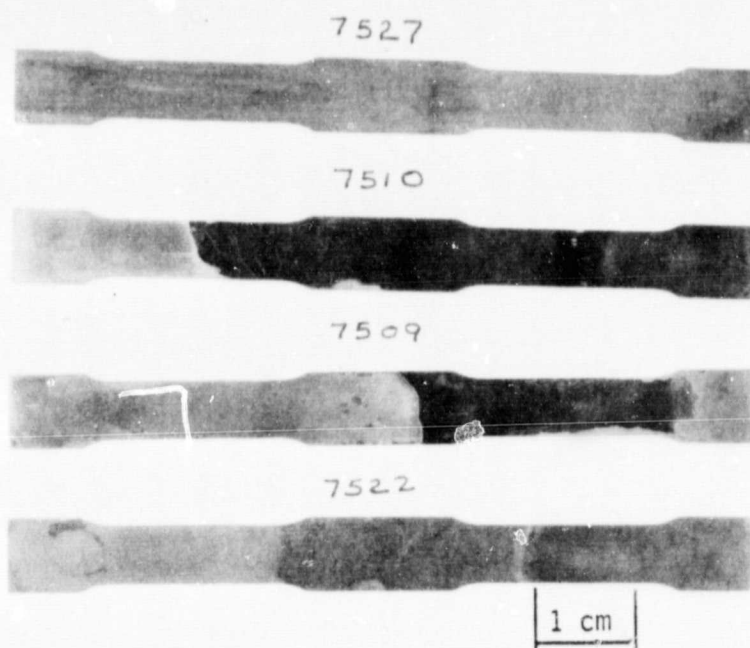


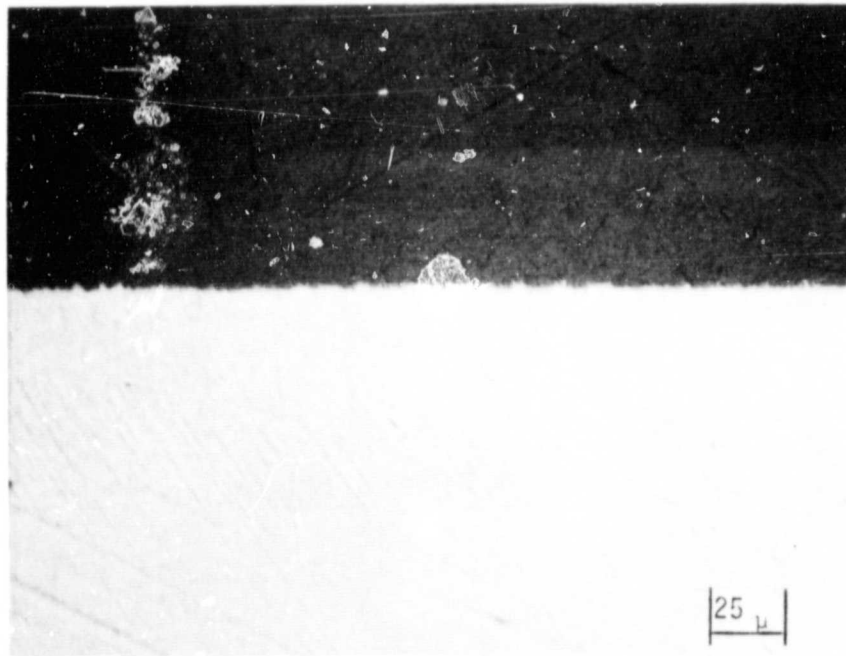
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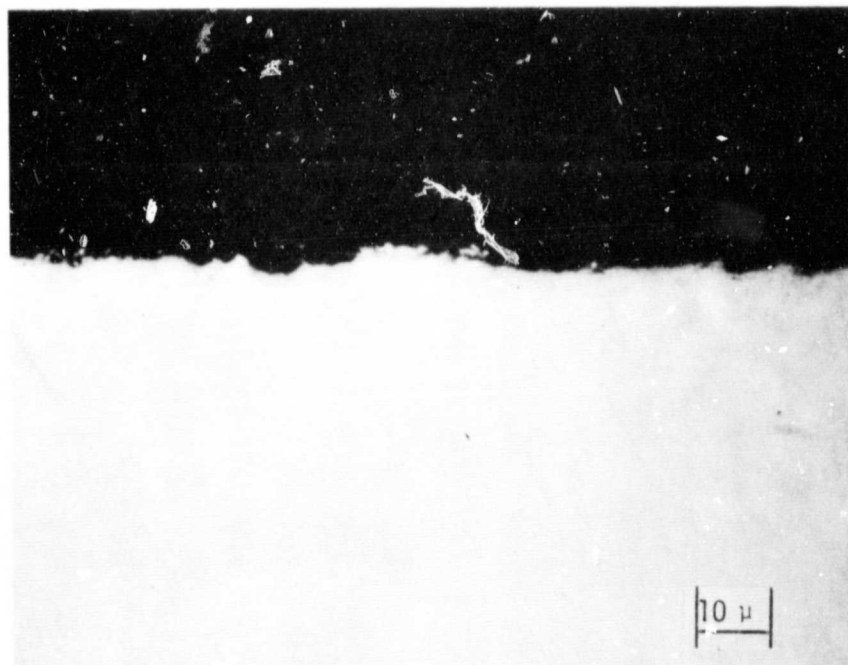


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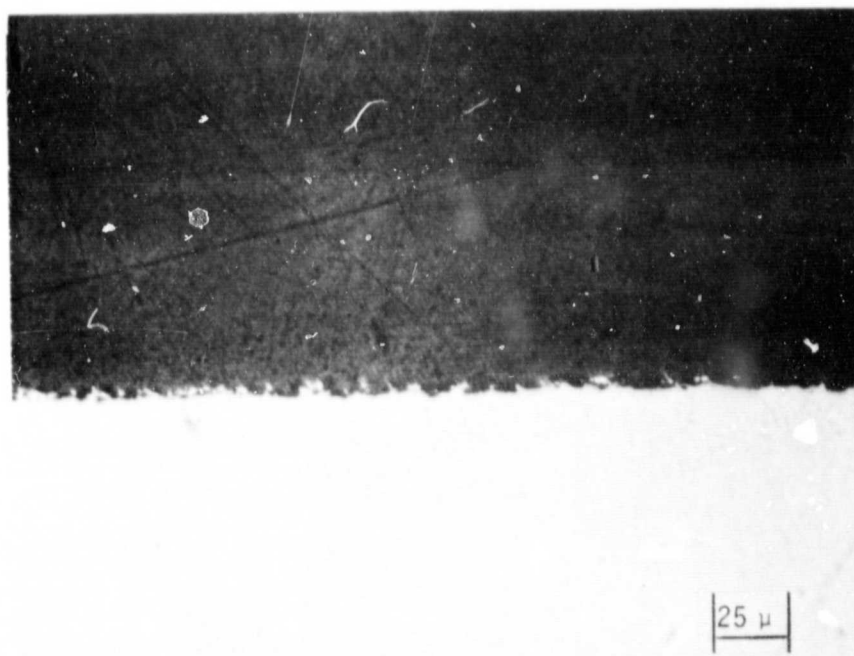


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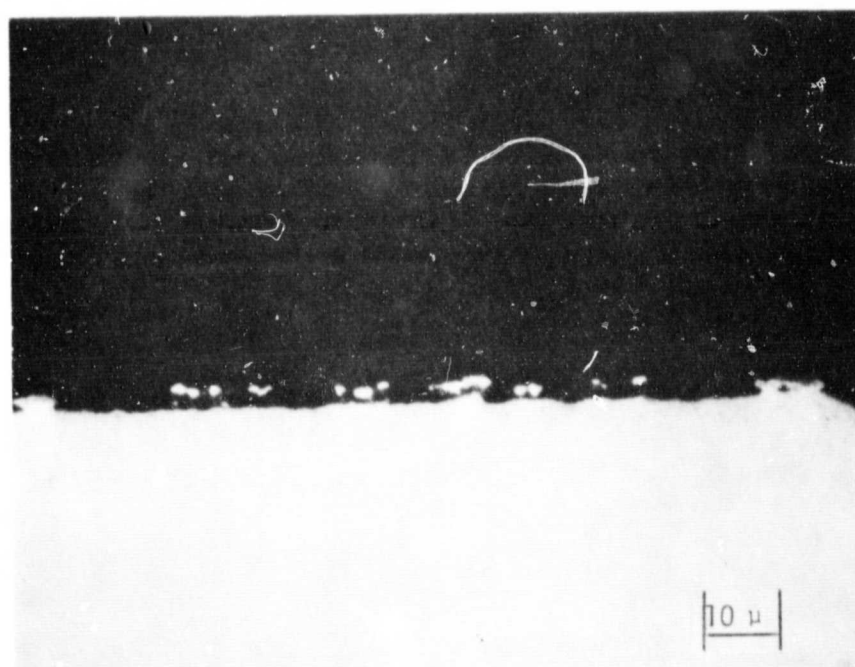


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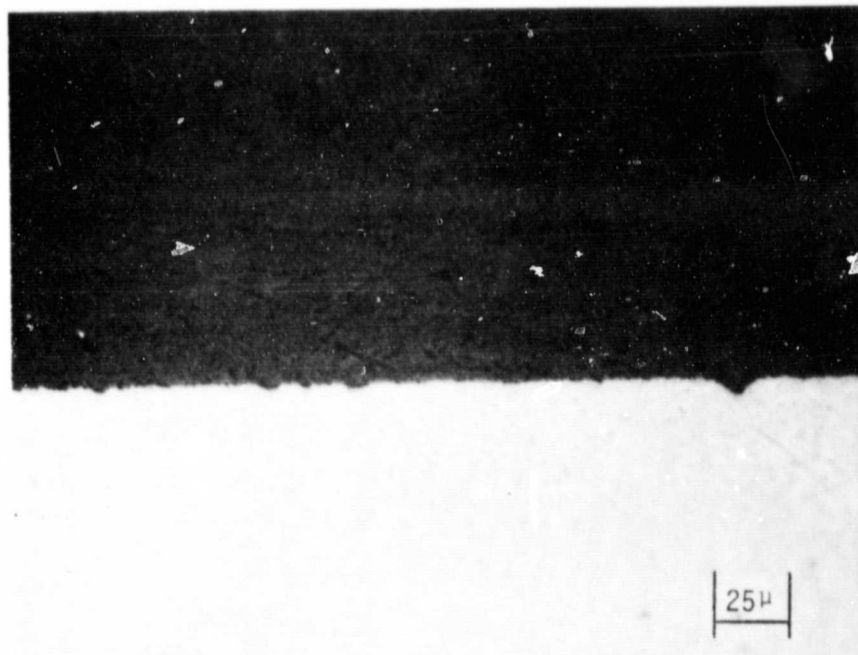


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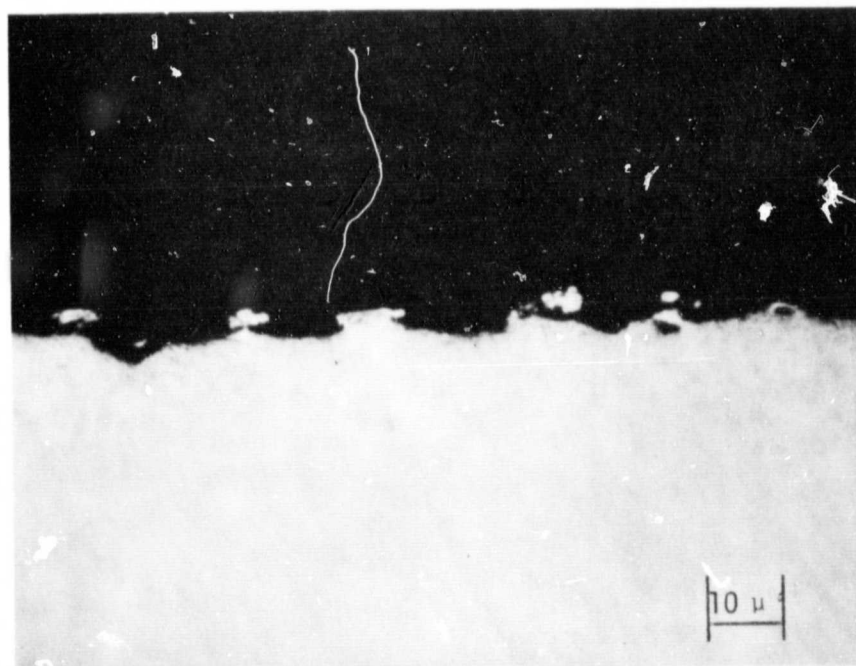


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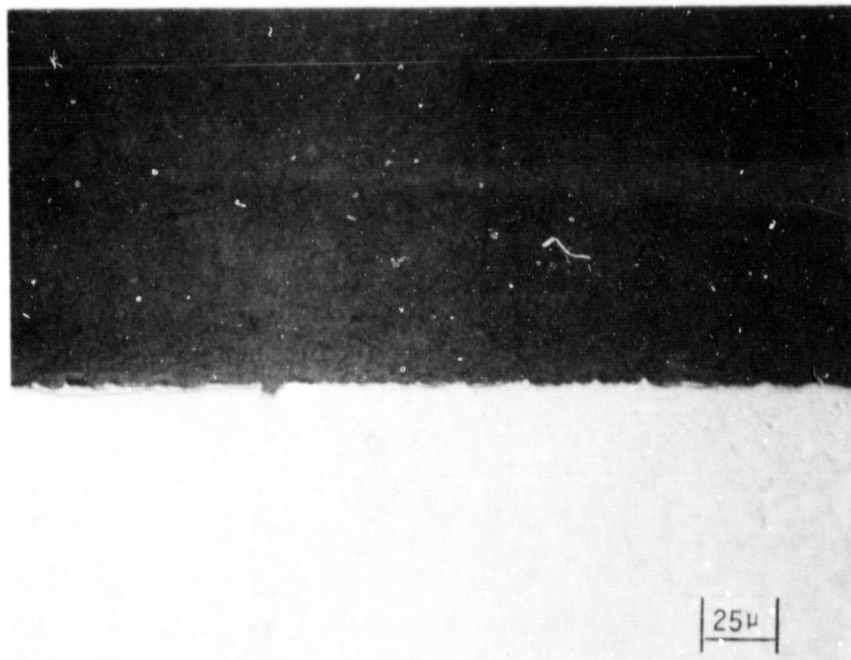


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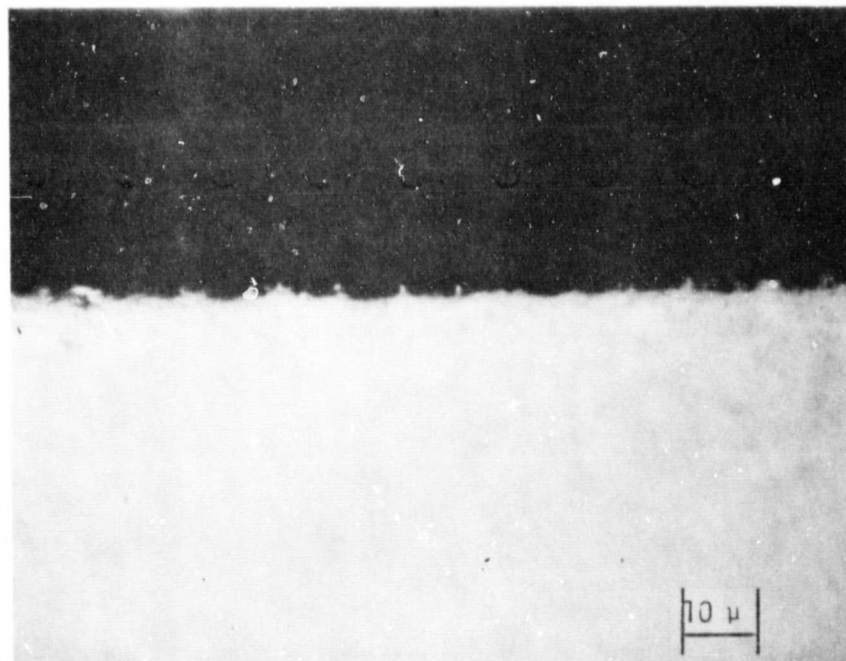


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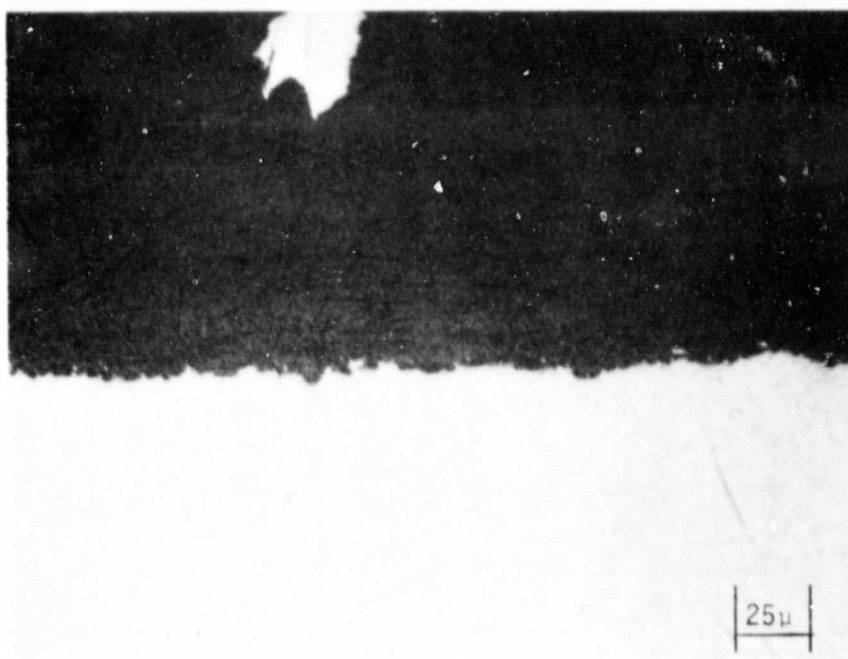


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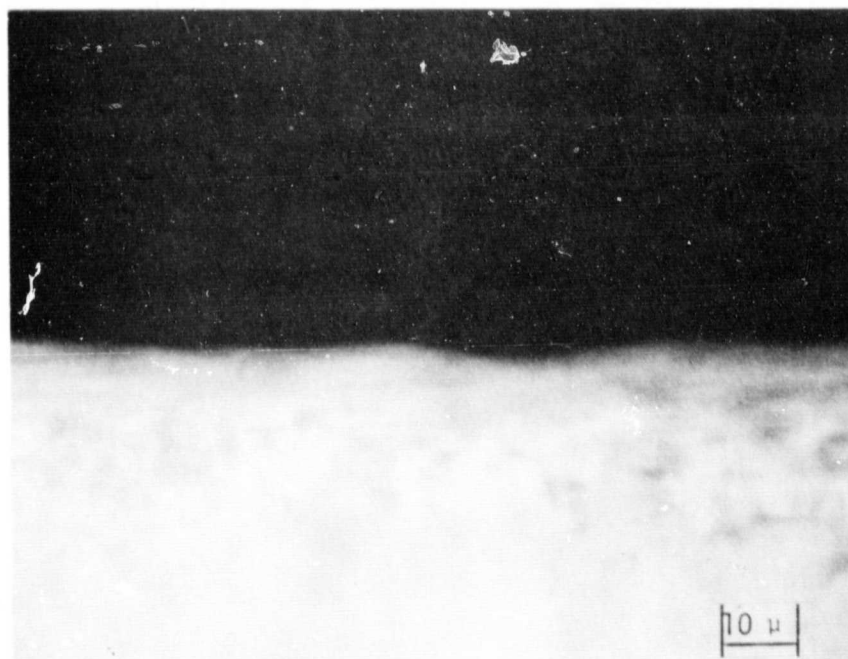


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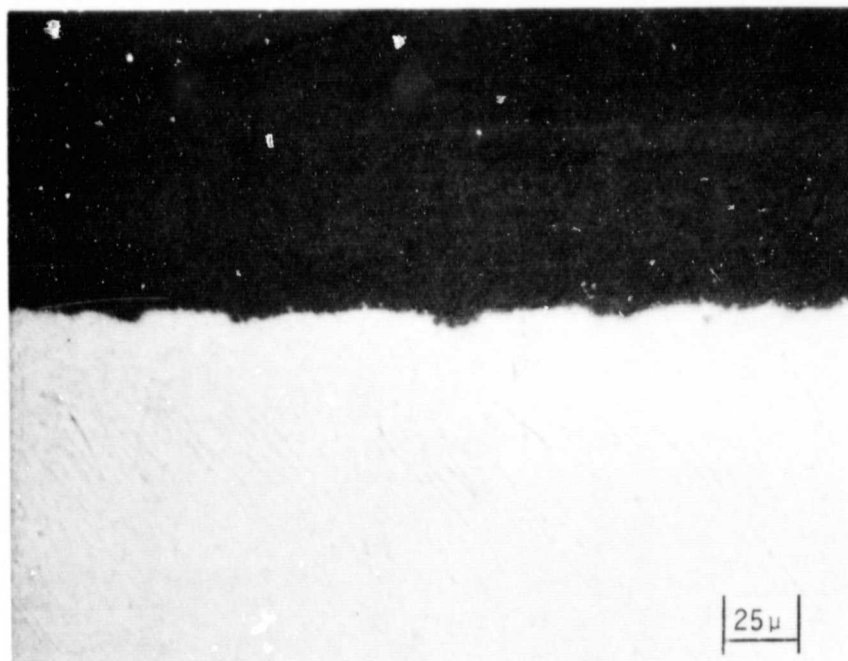
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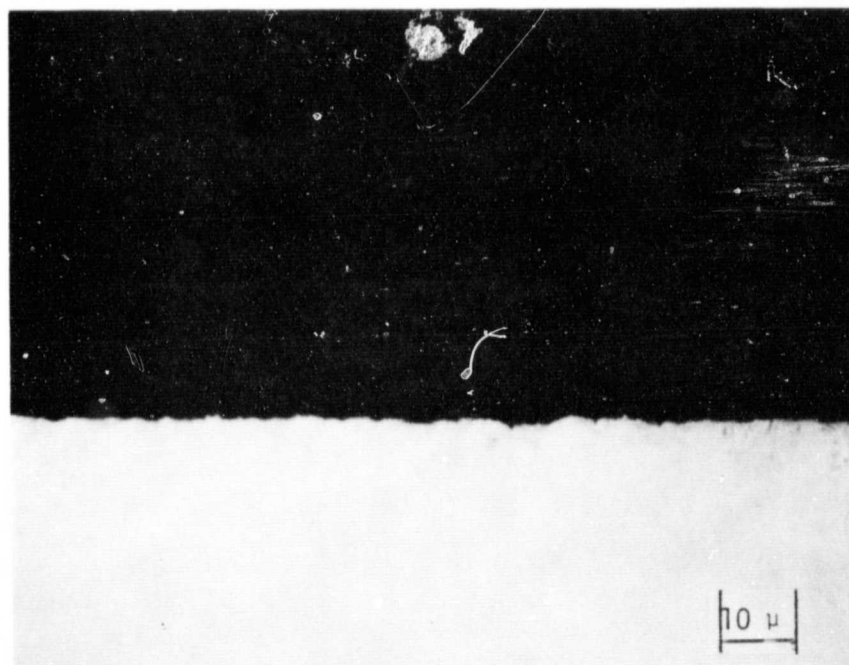
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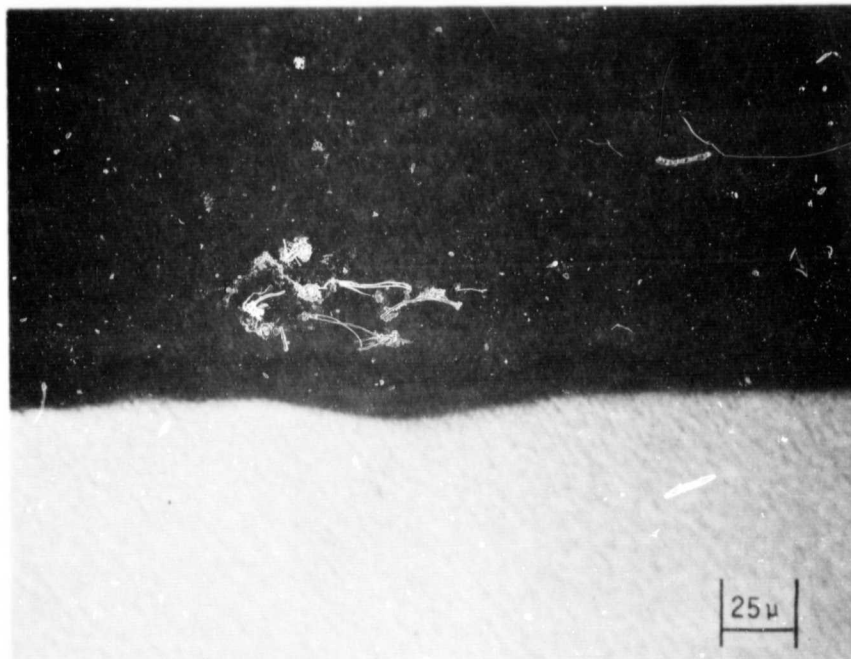


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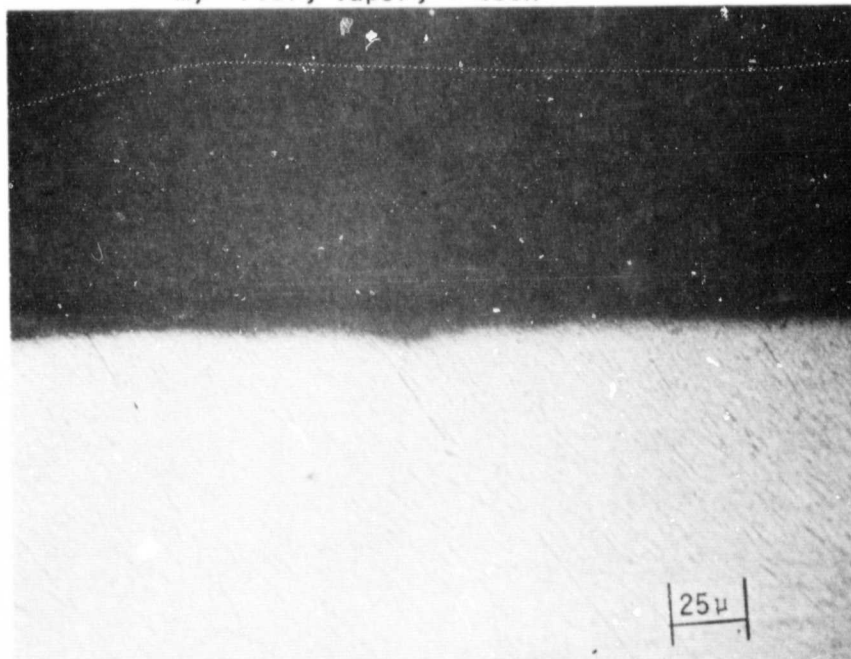


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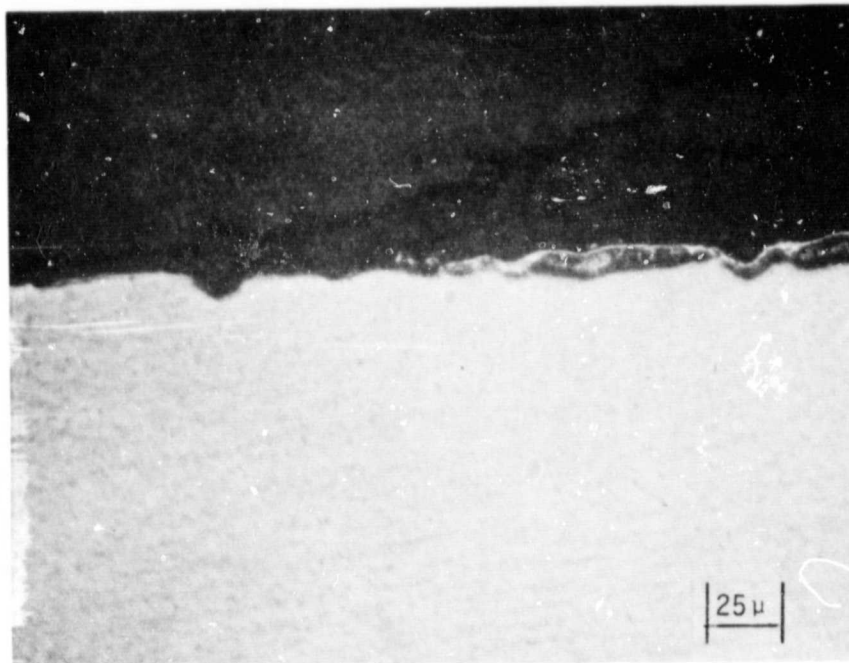
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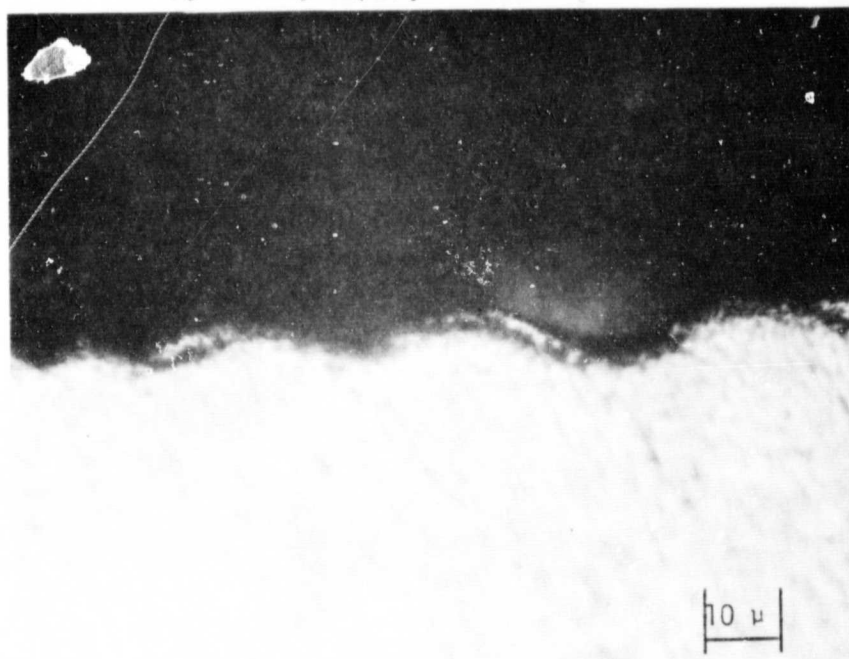
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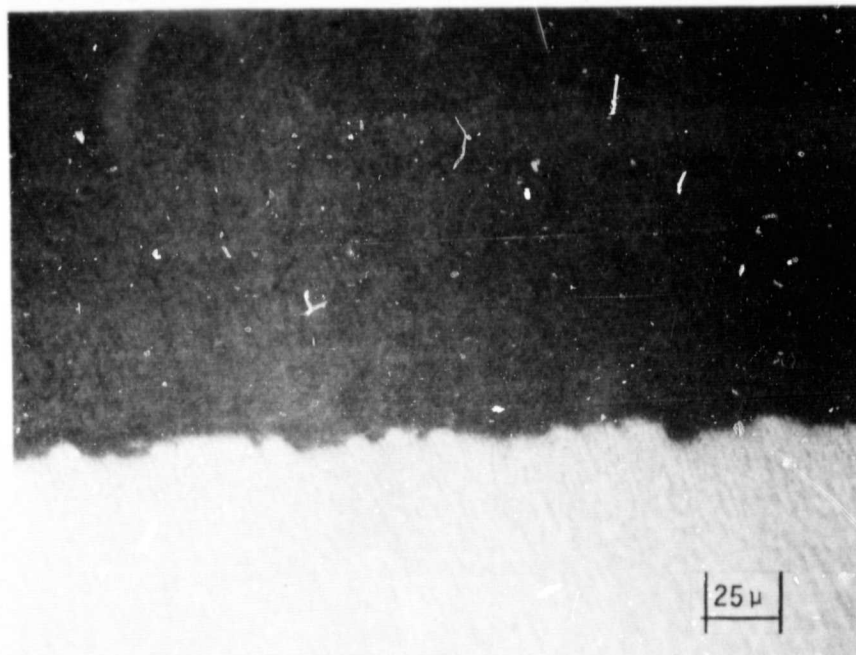


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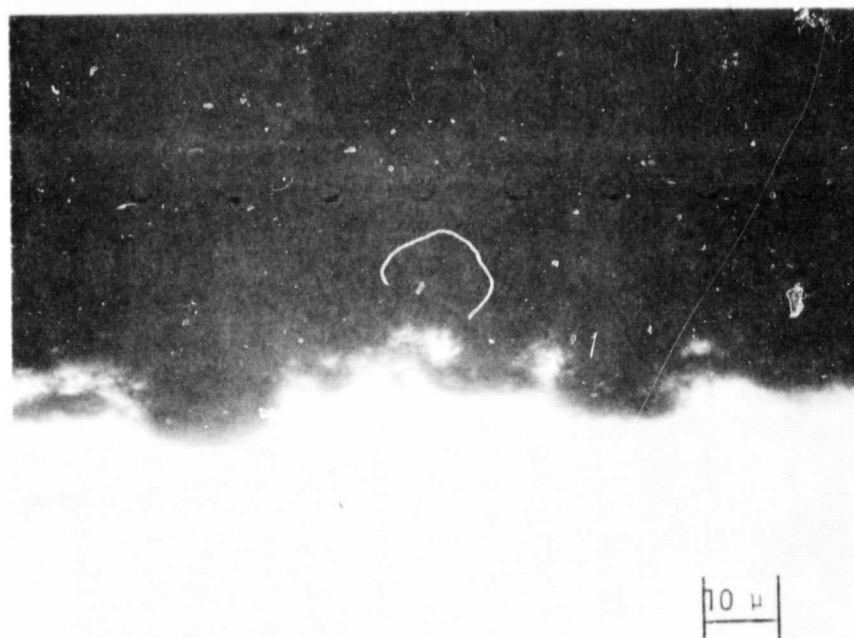


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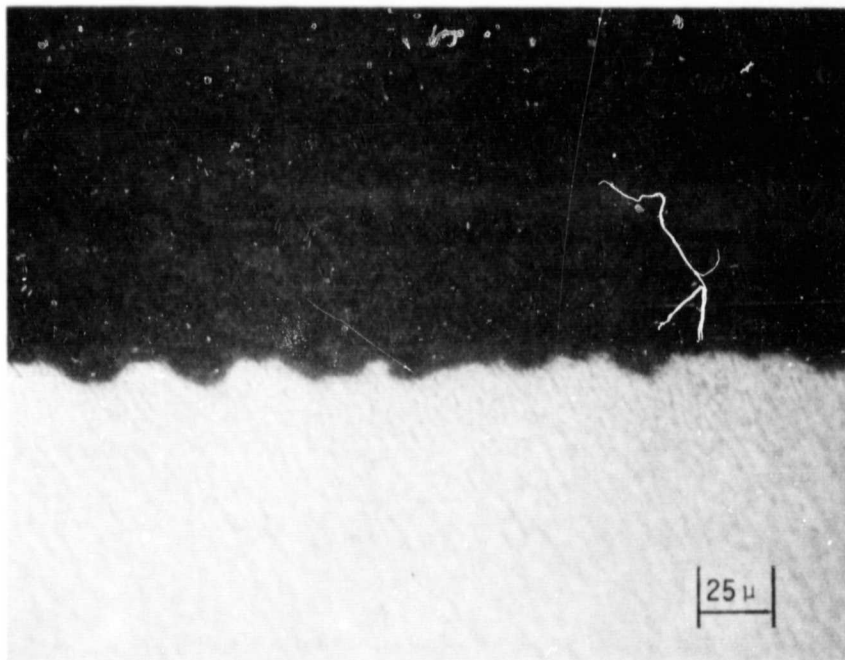


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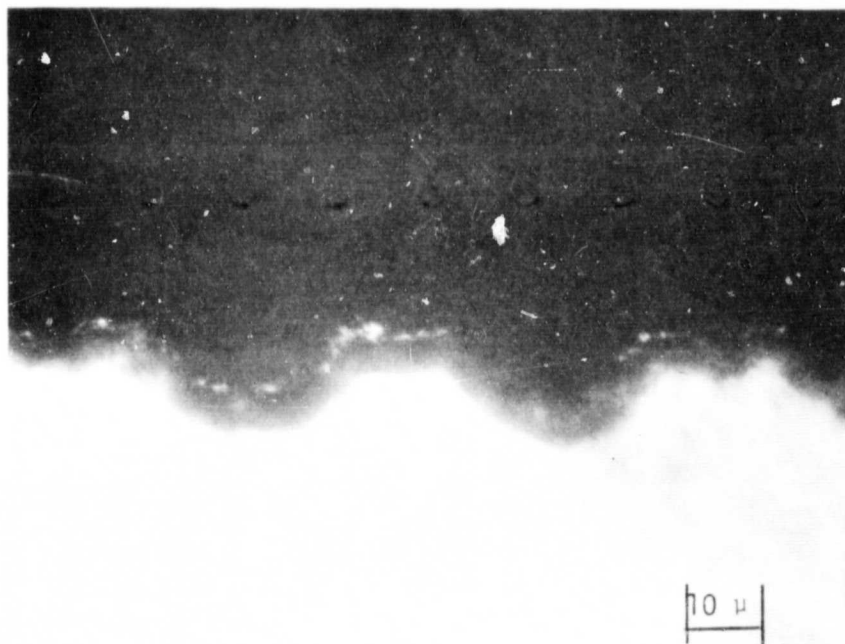


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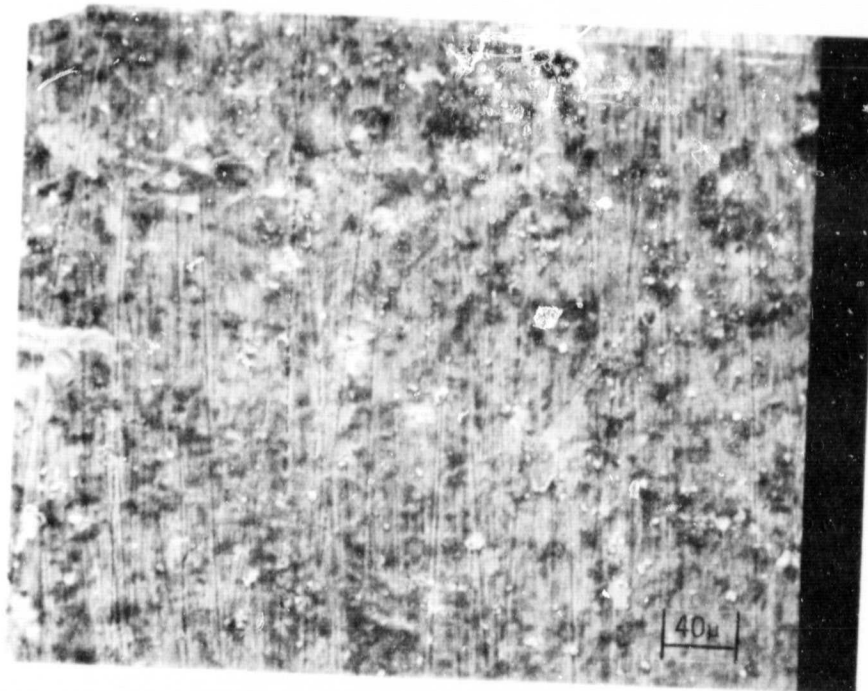


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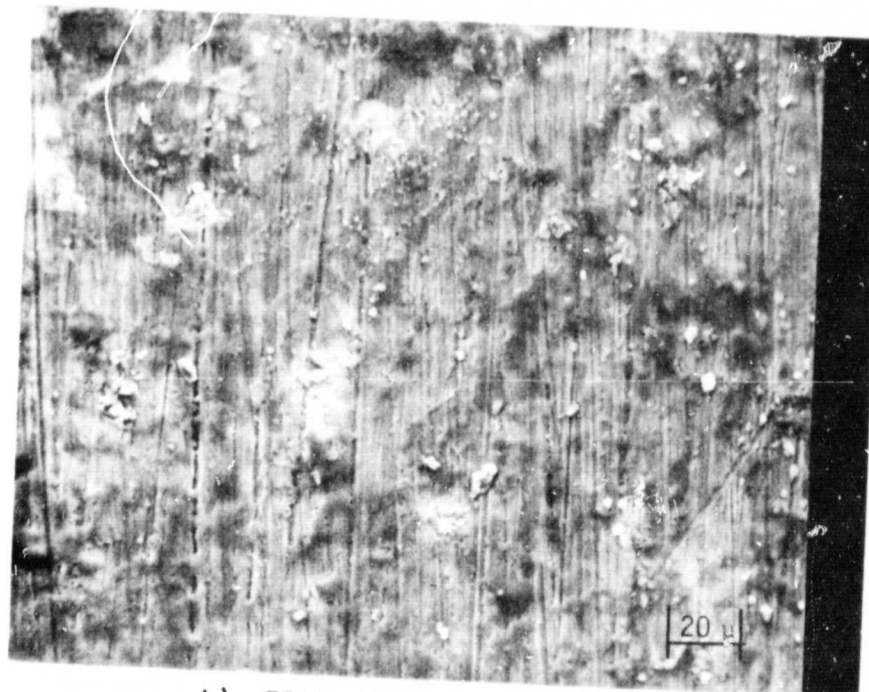


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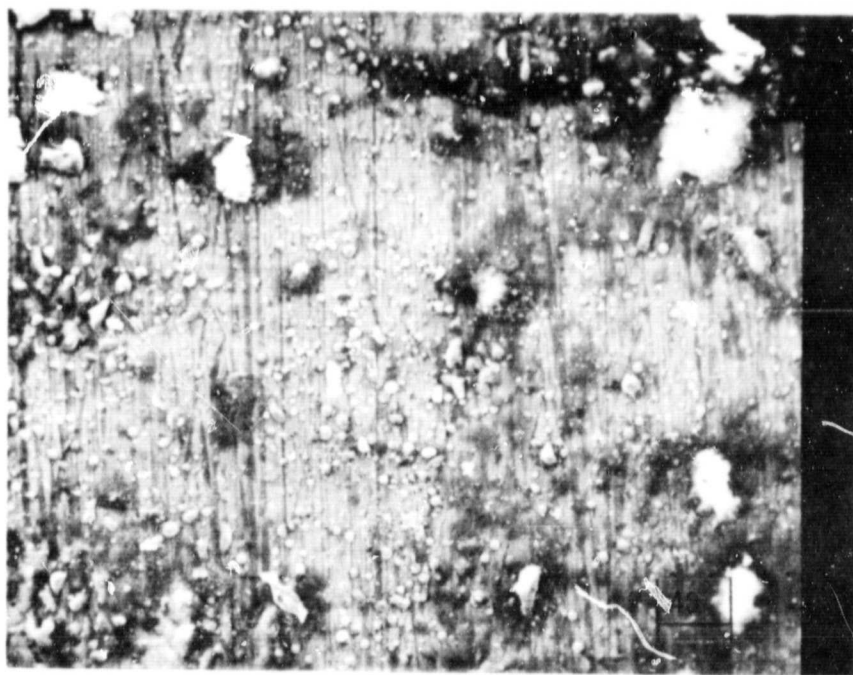


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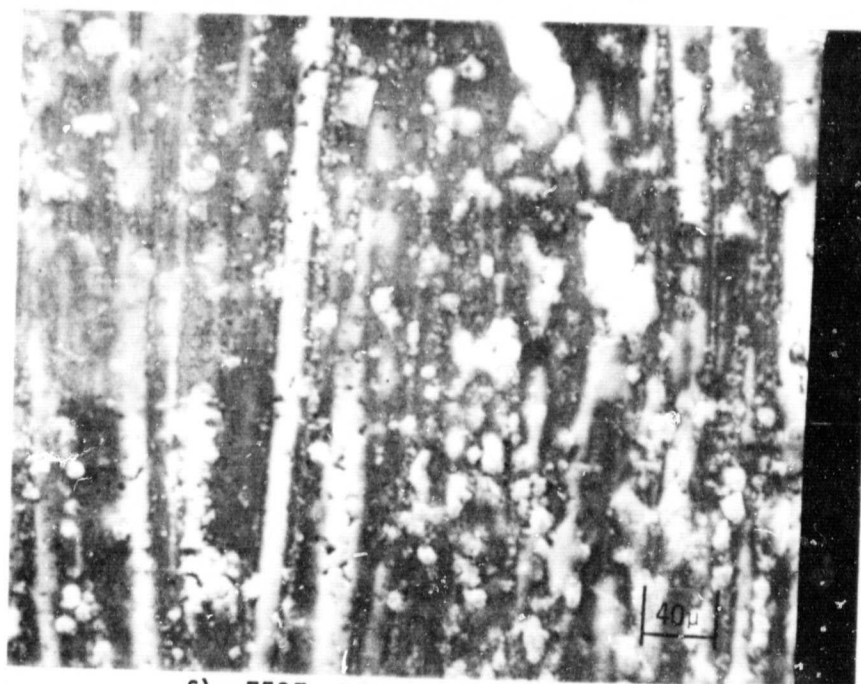
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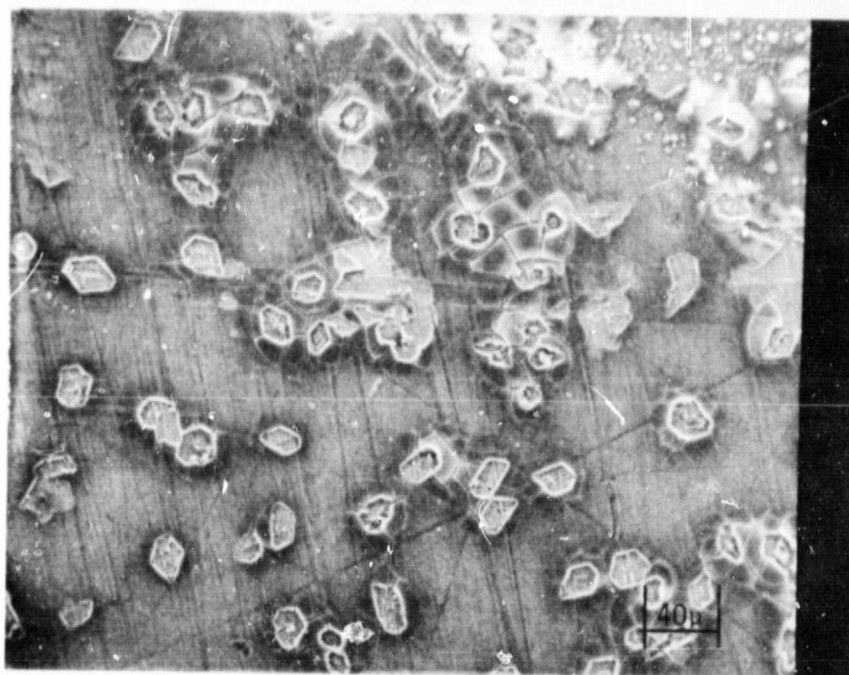


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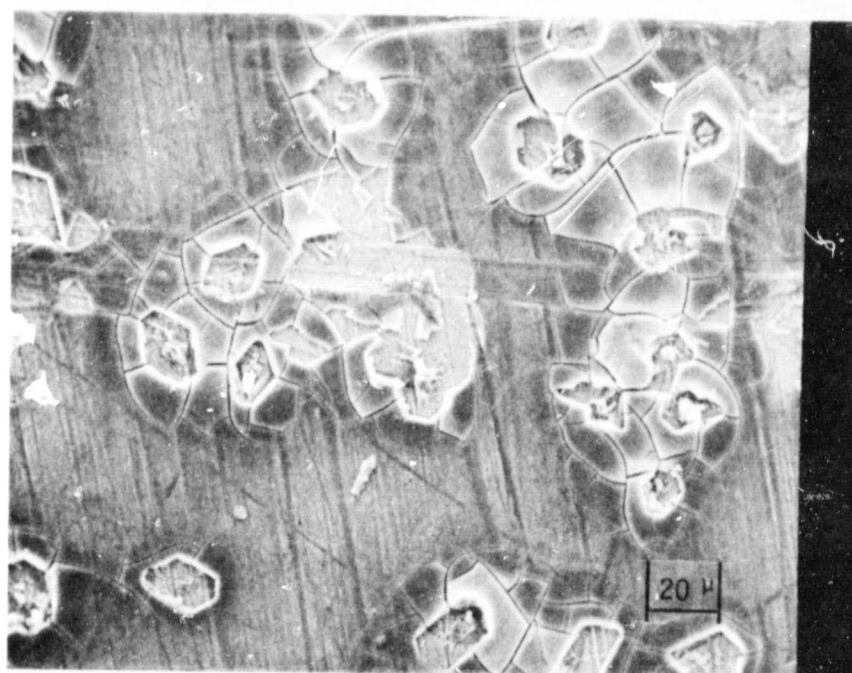


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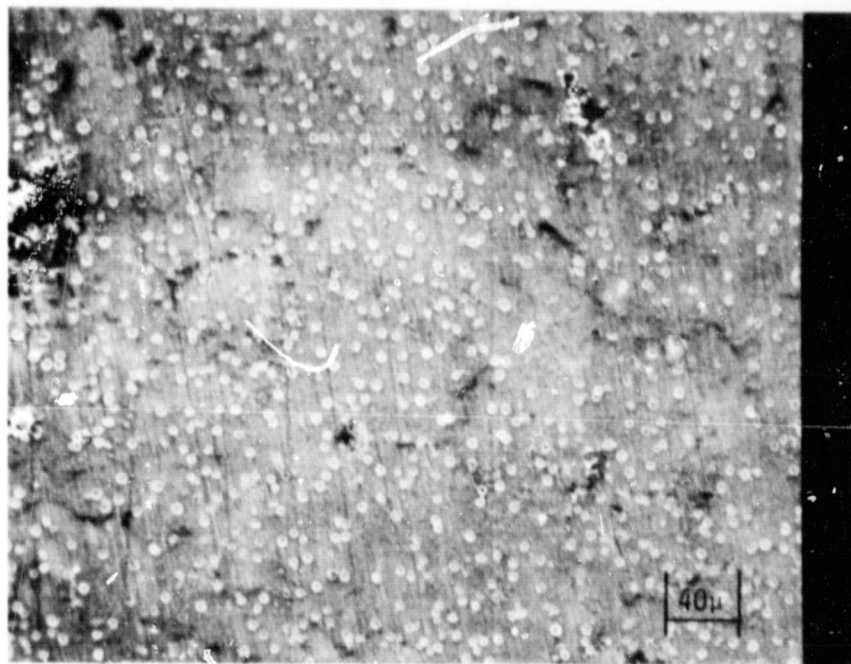


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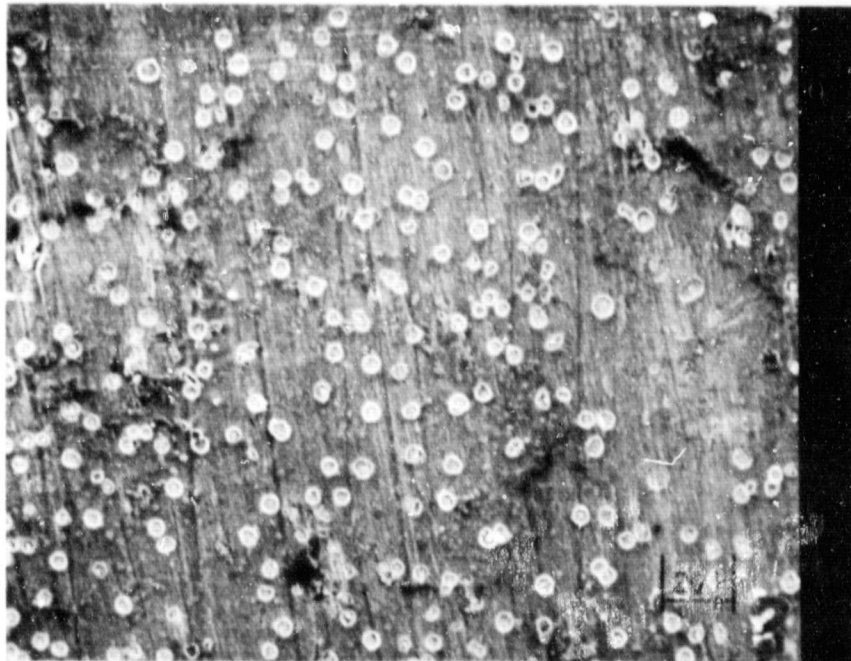


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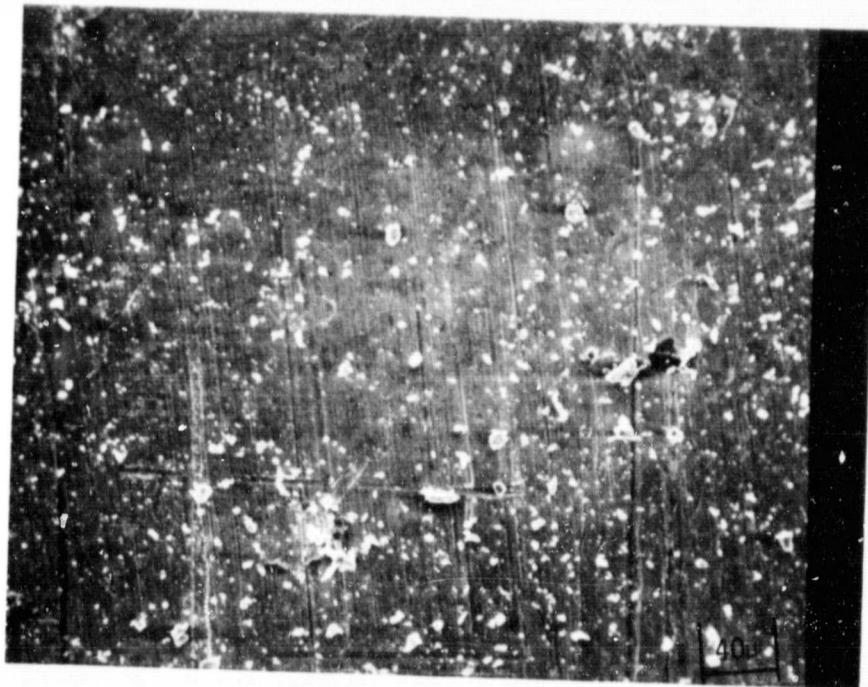
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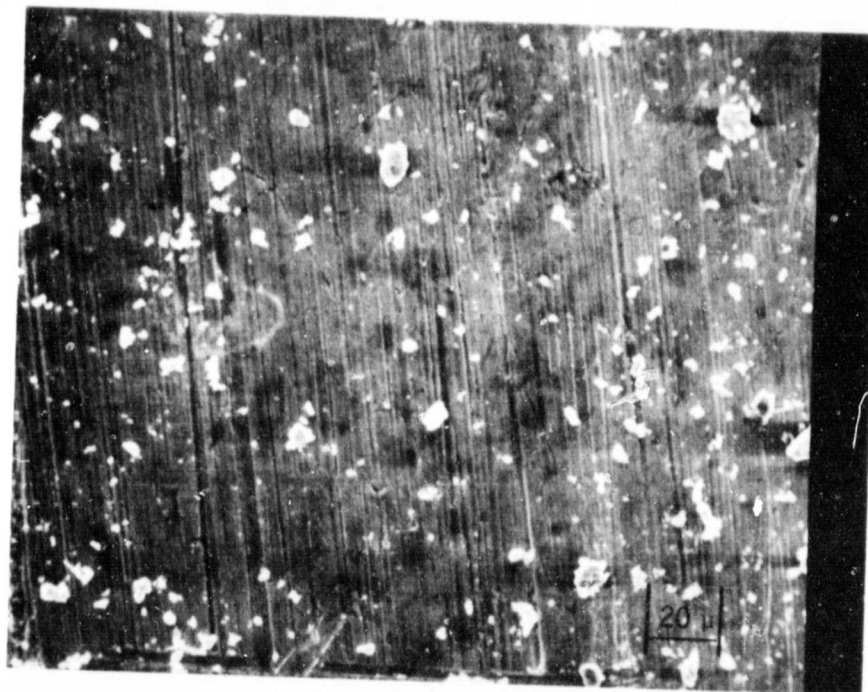
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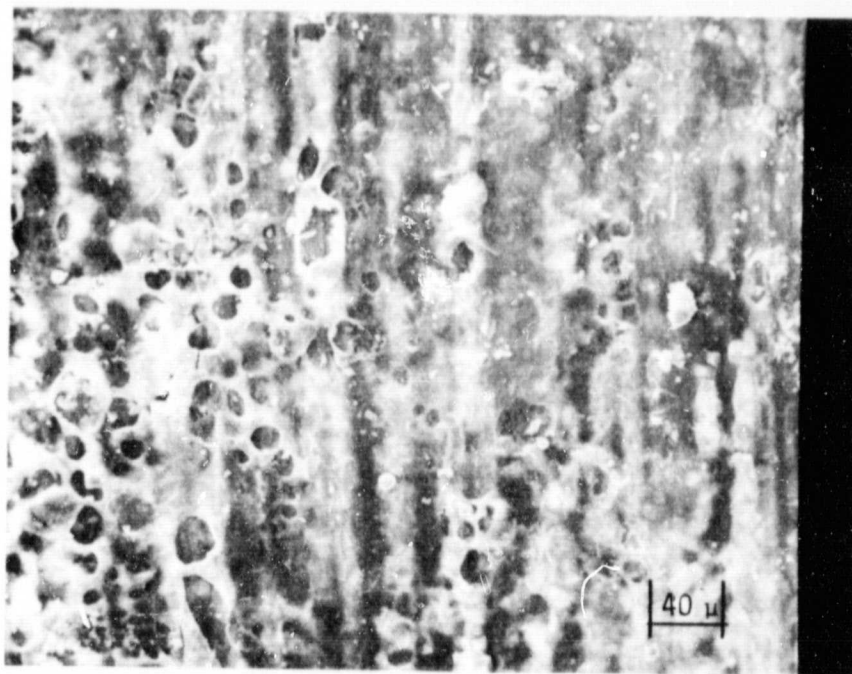


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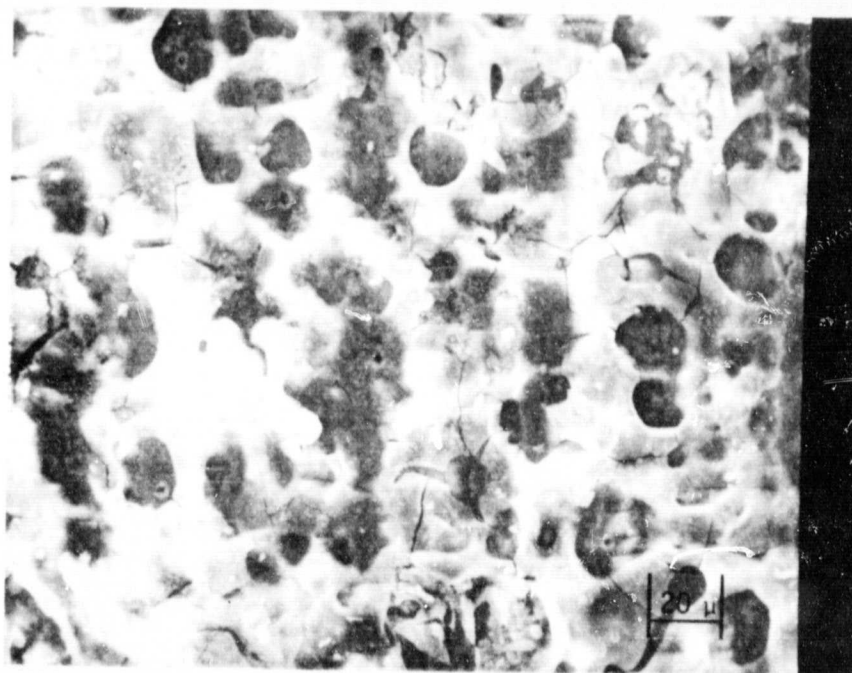


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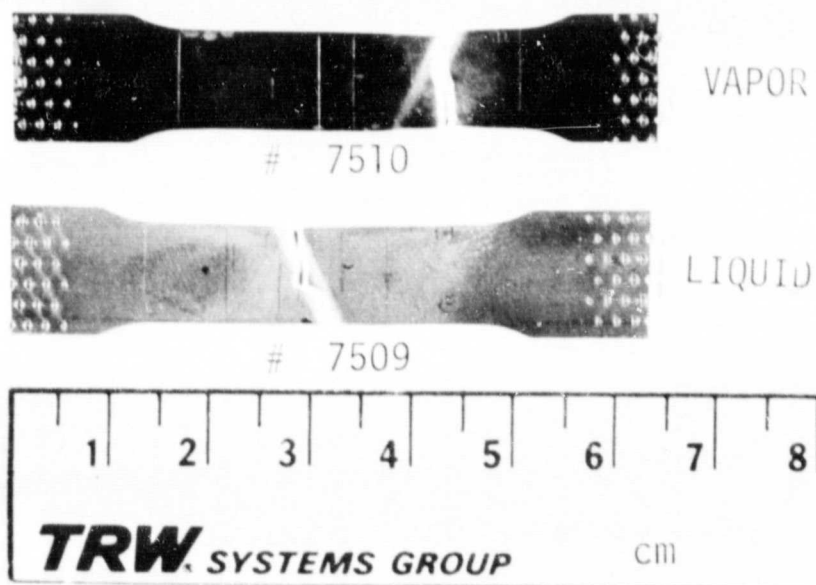
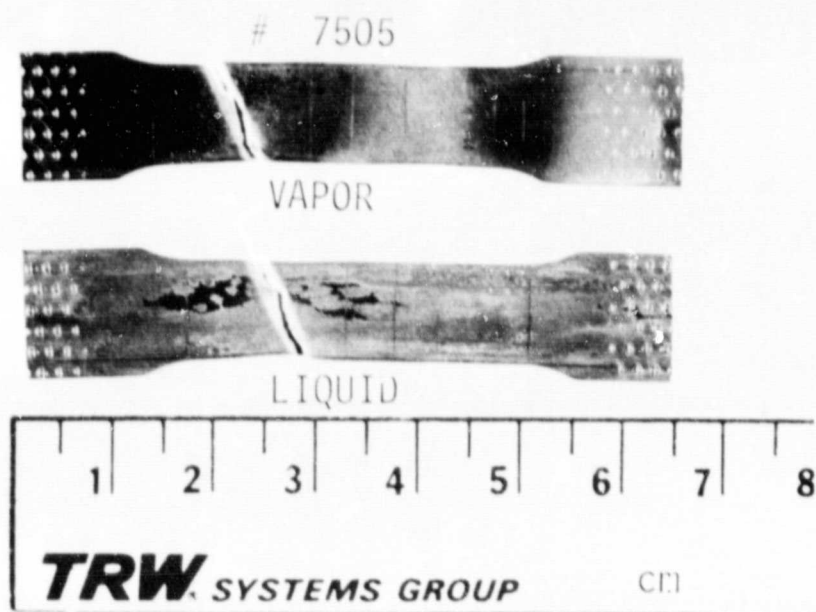


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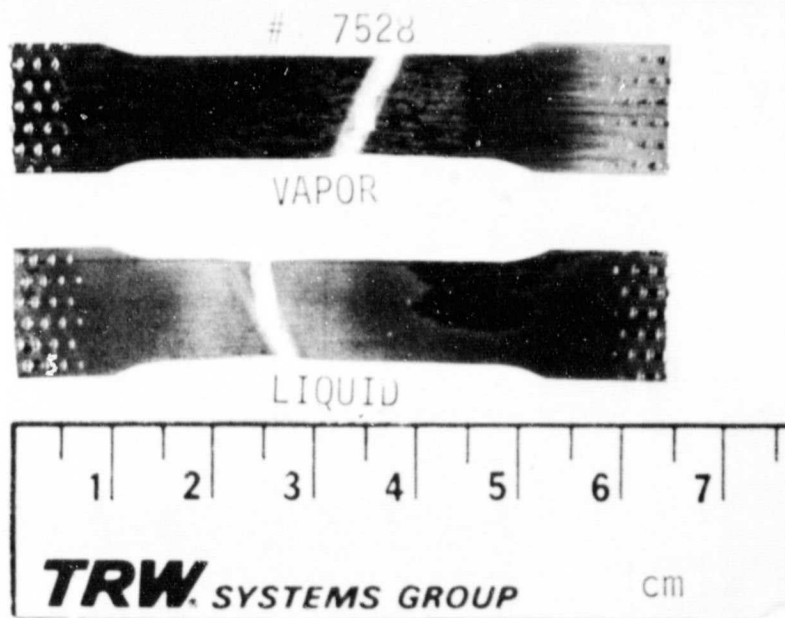
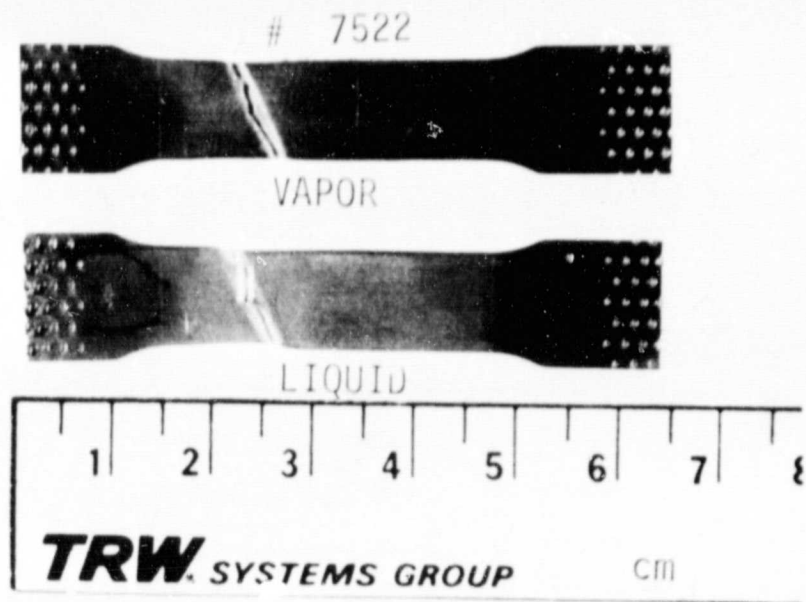


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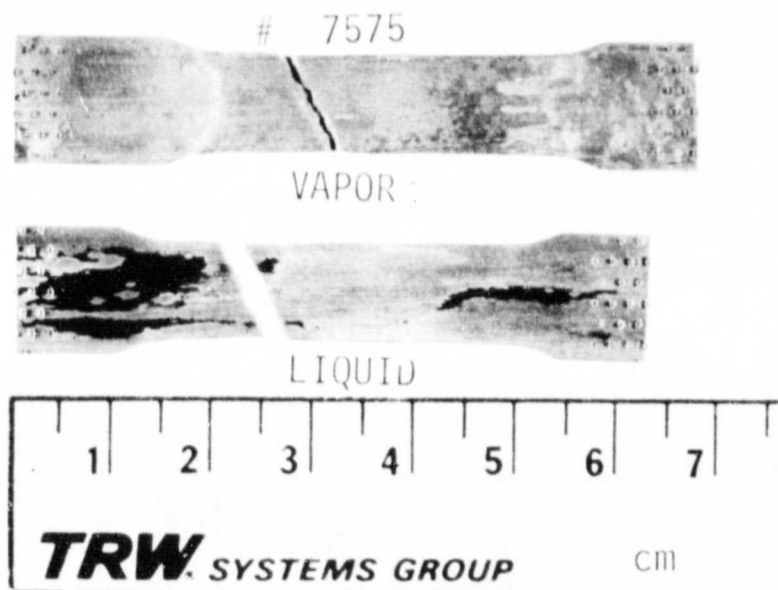
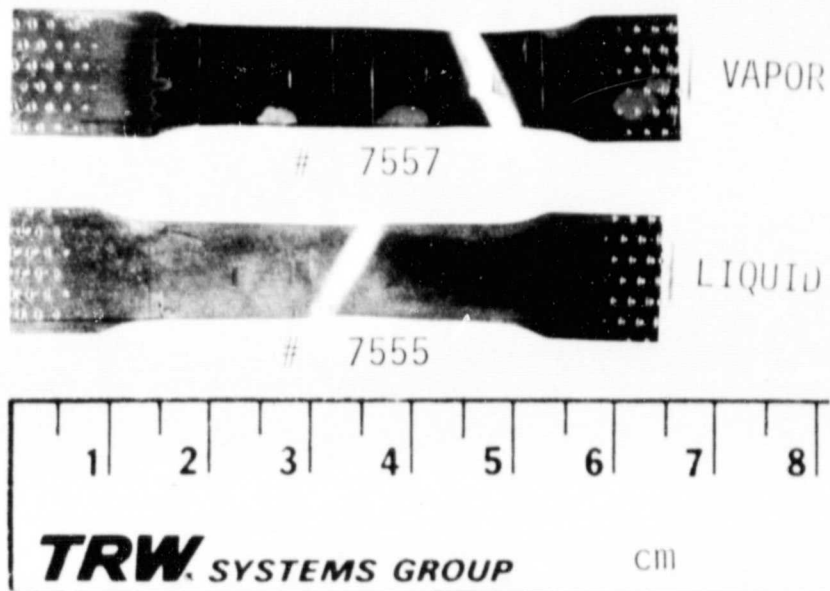


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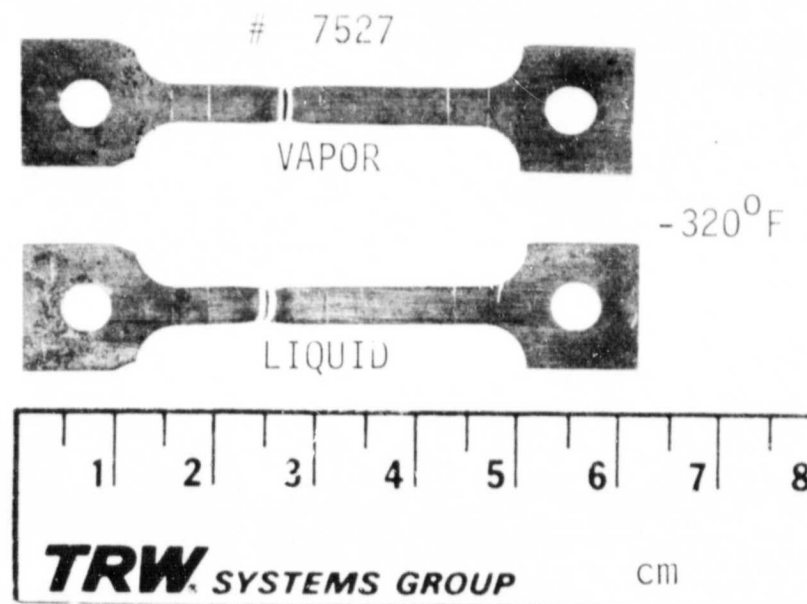
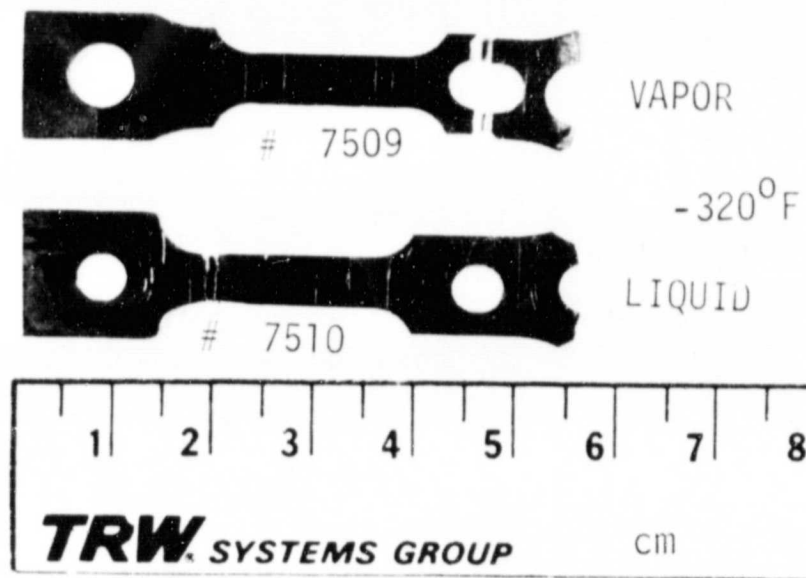


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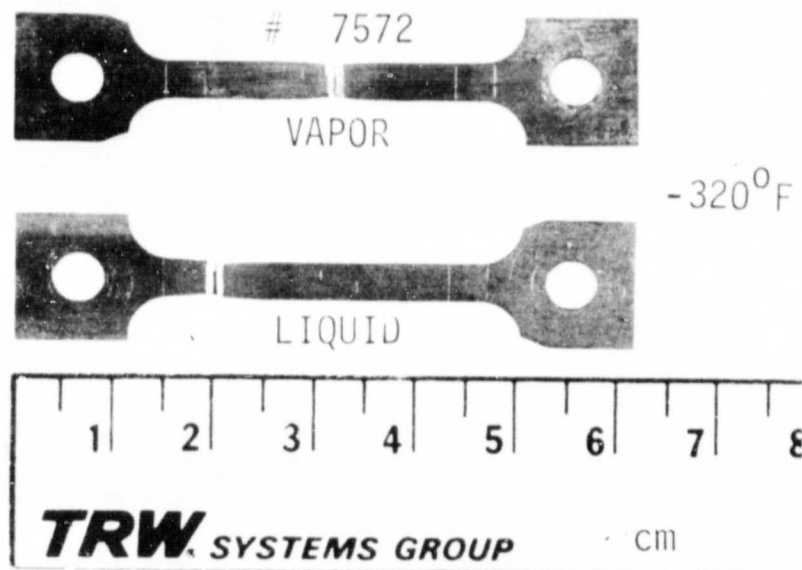
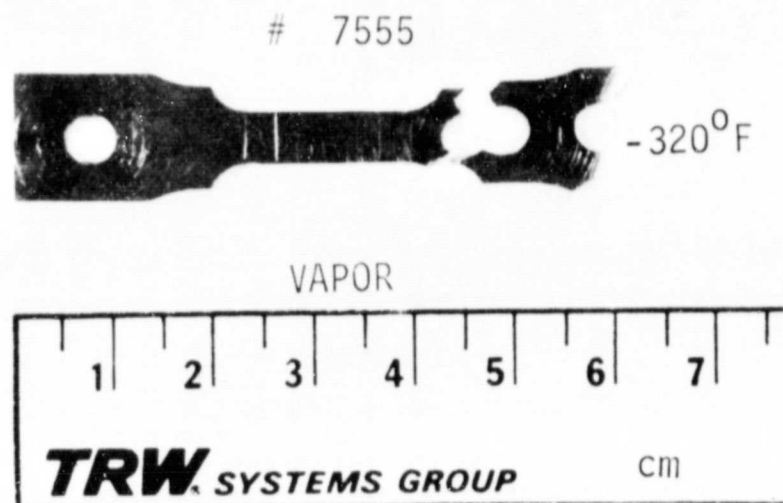


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TABLE F-I: PIT DEPTH FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION: 29-MONTH IMMERSION

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits in Various Depth Ranges ( $10^{-4}$ cm)											
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6	Group 7	Group 8	Group 9	Group 10	Group 11	Group 12
Range	0.01-0.64 (0.325)	0.65-1.28 (0.965)	1.29-1.92 (1.61)	1.93-2.56 (2.24)	2.57-3.20 (2.89)	3.21-3.84 (3.53)	3.85-4.48 (4.17)	4.49-5.12 (4.81)	5.13-5.76 (5.61)	5.77-6.40 (6.09)	6.41-7.04 (6.73)	>7.04
Mean												
7505 Liquid	0	0	41.7	16.7	16.7	0	8.3	16.7	0	0	0	0
7505 Vapor	0	0	40.0	60.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7510 Liquid	0	36.4	36.4	27.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7510 Vapor	0	0	67.7	11.1	11.1	0	0	0	11.1	0	0	0
7527 Liquid	0	0	0	9.1	0	8.2	0	27.3	9.1	9.1	0	27.3
7527 Vapor	0	0	23.5	11.8	17.6	5.9	0	5.9	0	23.5	5.9	5.9
7557 Liquid	0	8.3	66.7	25.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7557 Vapor	14.3	0	57.1	14.3	0	14.3	0	0	0	0	0	0
7572 Vapor	0	0	0	37.5	0	12.5	0	6.3	0	25.0	6.3	12.5
7575 Liquid	0	0	10.5	21.1	21.1	15.8	5.3	5.3	5.3	0	0	15.8
7575 Vapor	0	0	2.9	0	5.9	11.8	5.9	17.6	11.8	2.9	8.8	32.4



TABLE F-II: PIT AREA FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION: 29-MONTH IMMERSION COUPONS

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits in Various Area Ranges - $10^{-7} \text{ cm}^2$ (Average)									
	Group 1 0.001-0.049 (0.025)	Group 2 0.050-0.009 (0.0745)	Group 3 0.100-0.490 (0.295)	Group 4 0.500-0.990 (0.0745)	Group 5 1.000-4.999 (3.000)	Group 6 5.000-9.999 (7.500)	Group 7 10.000-14.999 (12.000)	Group 8 15.000-19.999 (17.500)		
7505 Liquid	0	0	8.3	0	41.7	33.3	8.3	8.3		
7505 Vapor	0	0	20.0	0	80.0	0	0	0		
7510 Liquid	0	0	9.1	0	72.7	18.2	0	0		
7510 Vapor	0	0	0	11.1	44.4	33.3	11.1	0		
7527 Liquid	0	0	0	0	9.1	0	9.1	9.1		
7527 Vapor	0	0	0	5.9	29.4	5.9	11.8	0		
7557 Liquid	0	0	16.7	0	50.0	16.7	8.3	0		
7557 Vapor	0	0	57.1	0	42.9	0	0	0		
7572 Vapor	0	0	0	0	18.8	6.3	12.5	18.8		
7575 Liquid	0	0	0	0	52.6	31.6	10.5	5.3		
7575 Vapor	0	0	2.9	0	41.2	23.5	8.8	0		
	Group 9 20.000-24.999 (22.500)	Group 10 25.000-29.999 (27.500)	Group 11 30.000-34.999 (32.500)	Group 12 35.000-39.999 (37.500)	Group 13 40.000-44.999 (42.500)	Group 14 45.000-49.999 (47.500)	Group 15 50.000-54.999 (52.500)	Group 16 >52.500		
7505 Liquid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
7505 Vapor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
7510 Liquid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
7510 Vapor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
7527 Liquid	9.1	18.2	0	0	9.1	0	27.3	9.1		
7527 Vapor	17.6	5.9	5.9	5.9	0	5.9	0	5.9		
7557 Liquid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	8.3		
7557 Vapor	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
7572 Vapor	6.3	12.5	12.5	6.3	0	6.3	0	0		
7575 Liquid	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		
7575 Vapor	5.9	8.8	0	0	0	0	5.9	2.9		

TABLE F-III. PIT DEPTH/DIAMETER RATIO FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION: 29-MONTH IMMERSION COUPONS

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits with Various Depth/Diameter (1/d) Ratios							
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6	Group 7	Group 8
Ratio Range Mean	0.01-0.20 (0.105)	0.21-0.41 (0.31)	0.42-0.62 (0.52)	0.63-0.83 (0.73)	0.84-1.04 (0.94)	1.05-1.25 (1.15)	1.26-2.00 (1.63)	>2.00
7505 Liquid	16.7	58.3	16.7	8.3	0	0	0	0
7505 Vapor	0	40.0	20.0	40.0	0	0	0	0
7510 Liquid	44.4	44.4	11.1	0	0	0	0	0
7510 Vapor	45.5	45.5	9.0	0	0	0	0	0
7527 Liquid	17.6	64.7	17.6	0	0	0	0	0
7527 Vapor	18.2	54.5	18.2	9.1	0	0	0	0
7557 Liquid	41.7	41.7	16.7	0	0	0	0	0
7557 Vapor	0	42.9	14.3	28.6	14.3	0	0	0
7572 Vapor	6.3	75.0	6.3	0	6.3	6.3	0	0
7575 Liquid	5.3	31.6	31.6	15.8	5.3	5.3	0	5.3
7575 Vapor	0	26.5	35.3	8.8	5.9	8.8	11.8	2.9

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APPEARANCE OF 39-MONTH IMMERSION COUPONS

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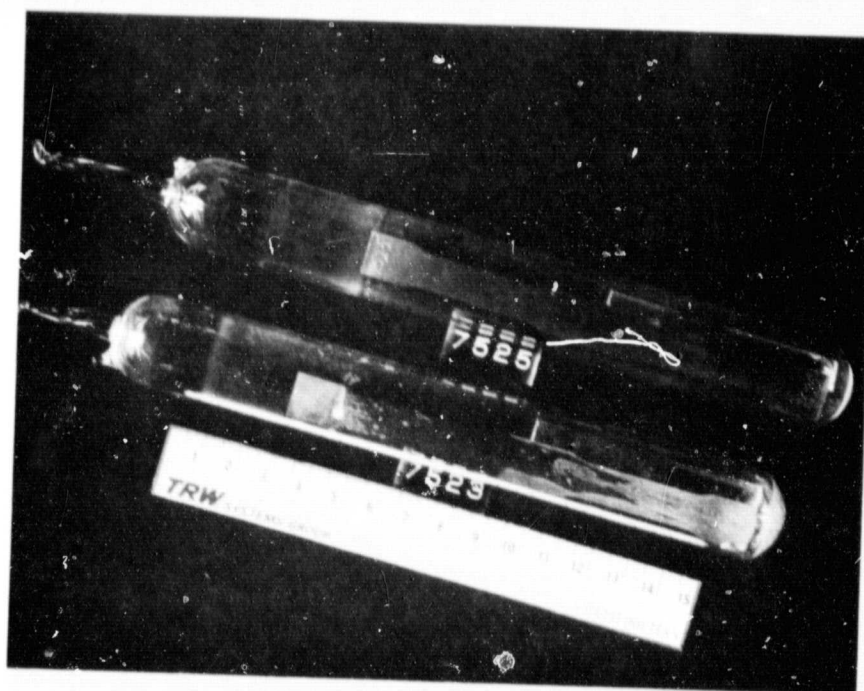
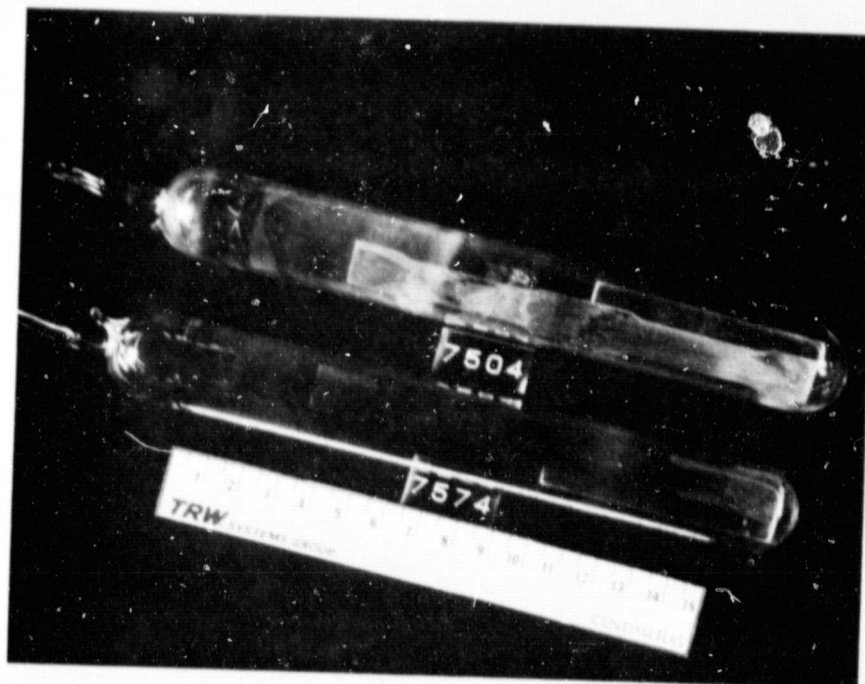
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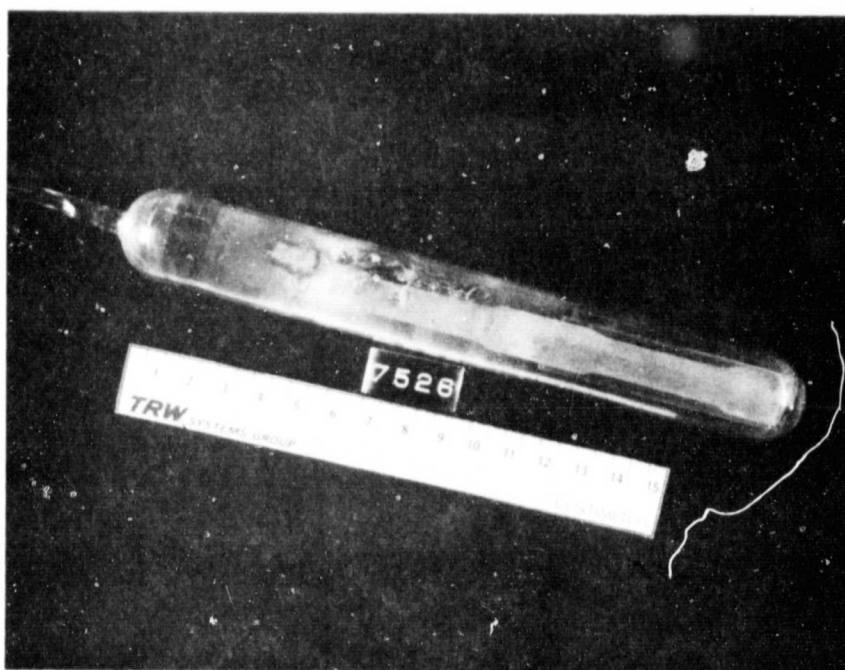
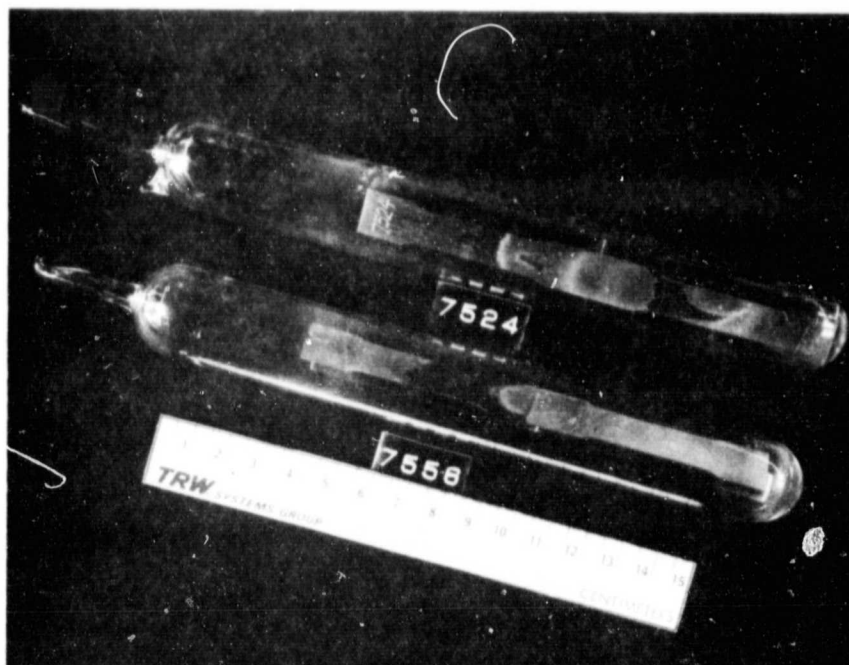
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#7523 has high  $\text{SiF}_4$  content

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After 39-Month  $\text{GF}_2/\text{LF}_2$  Immersion

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#7526 had dark  $F_2$ , high  $SiF_4$ , and Ti salts

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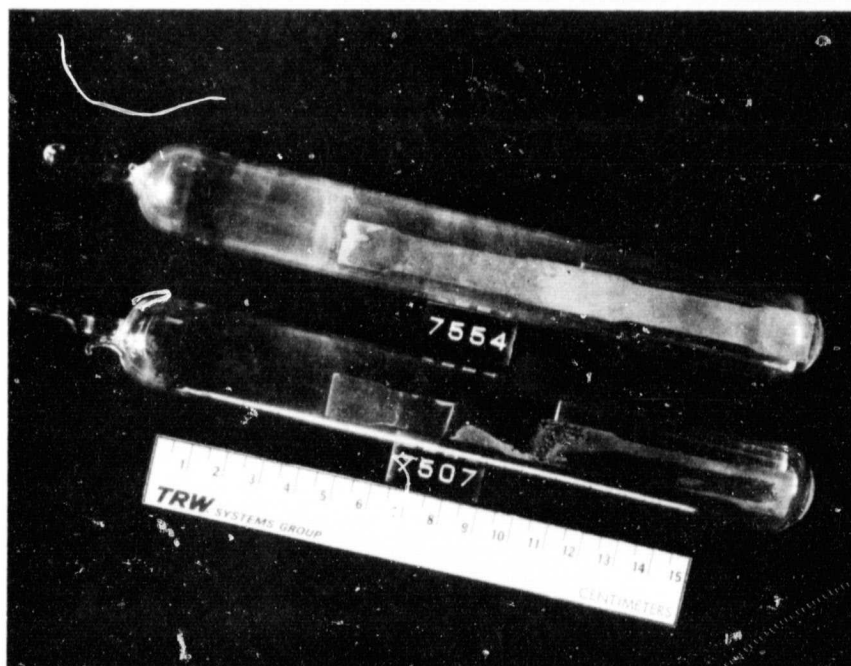
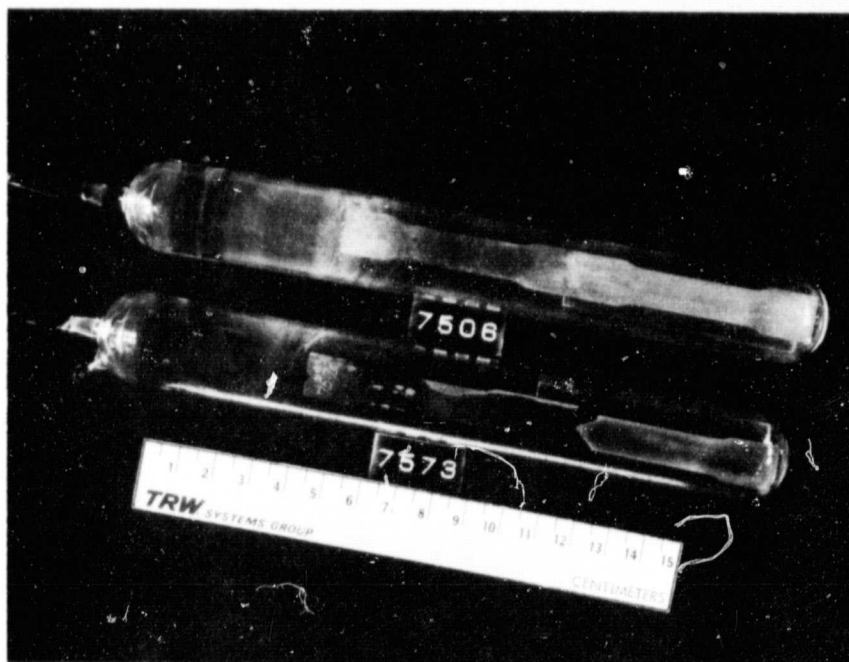


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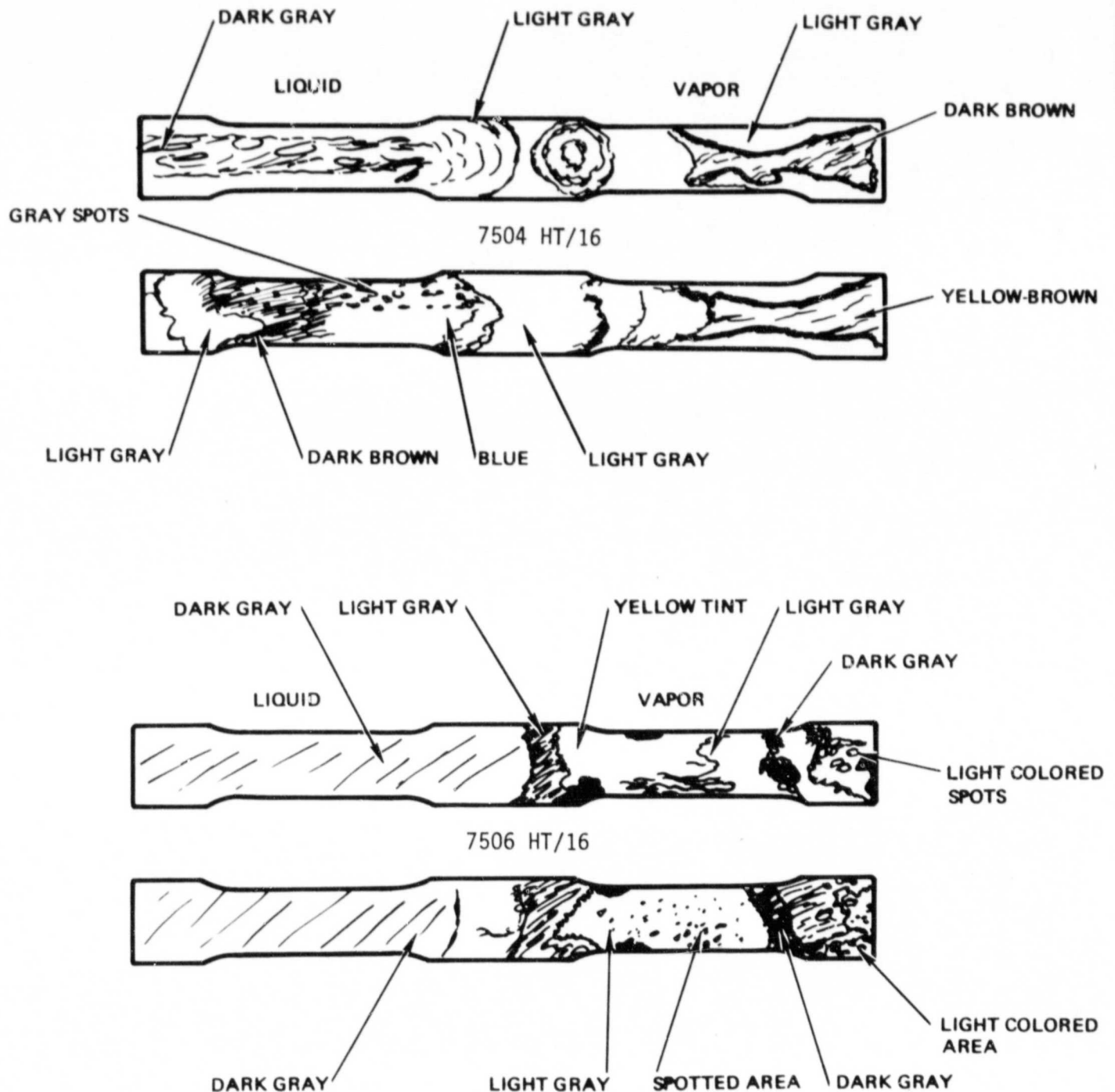


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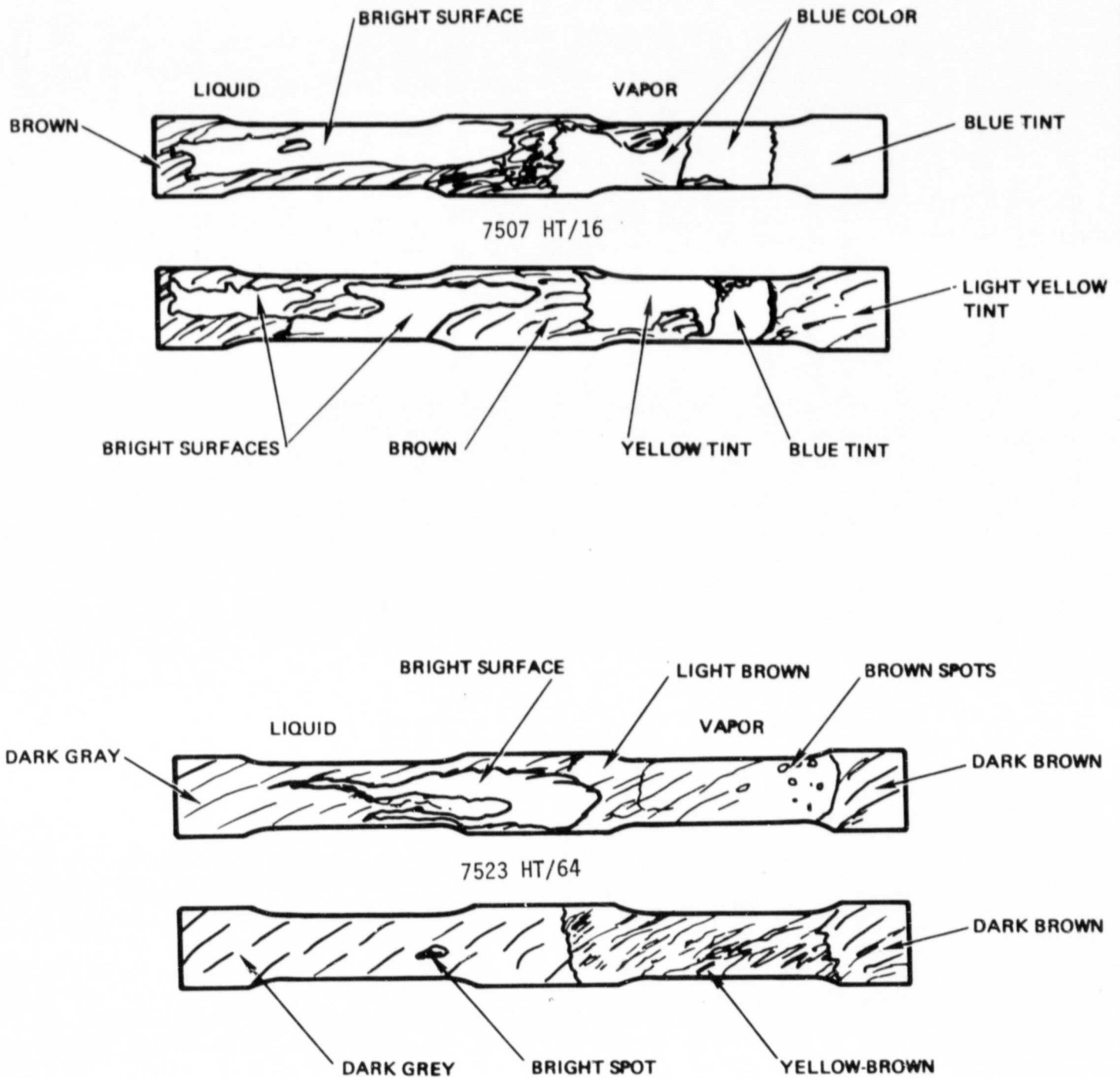


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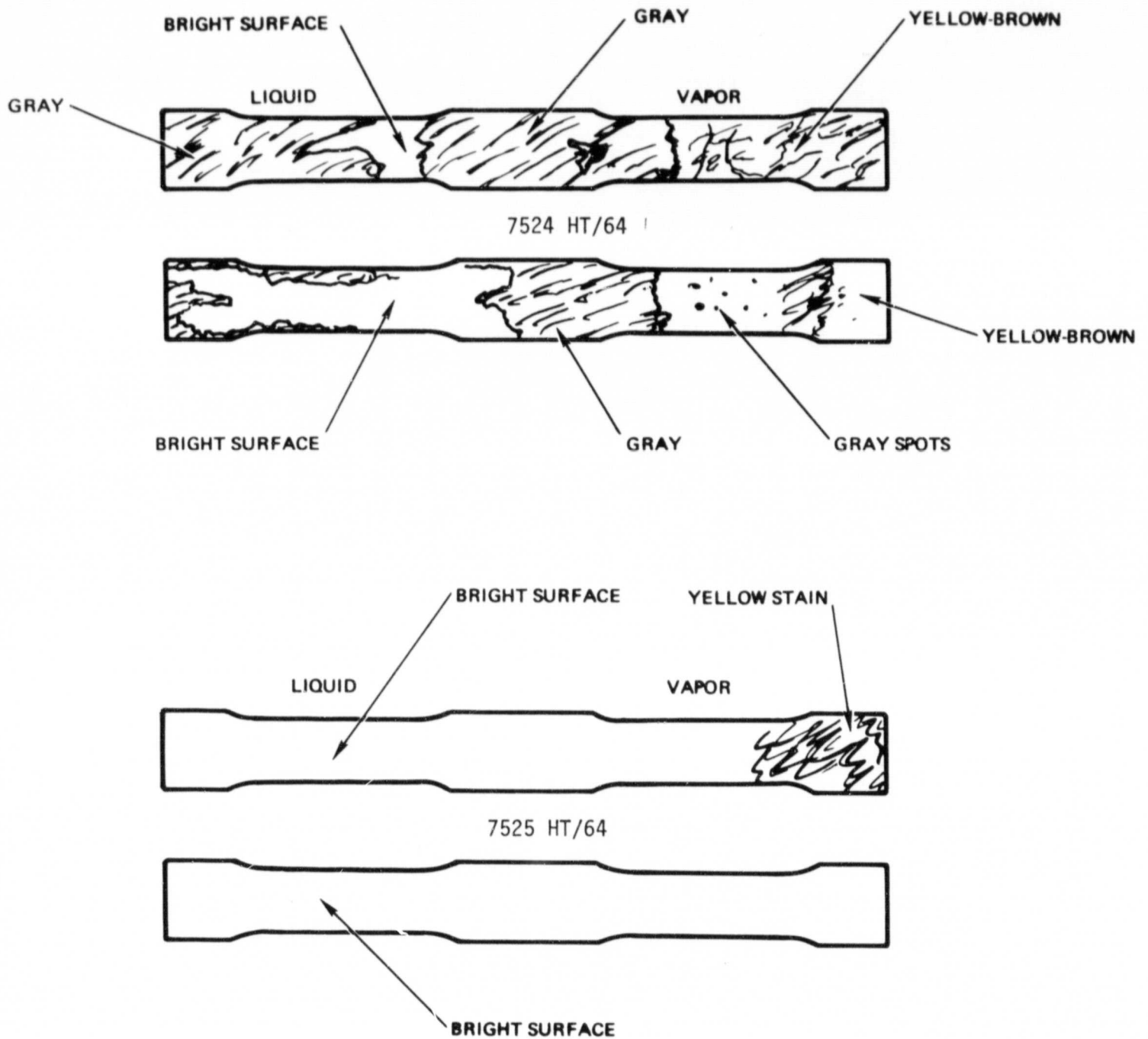


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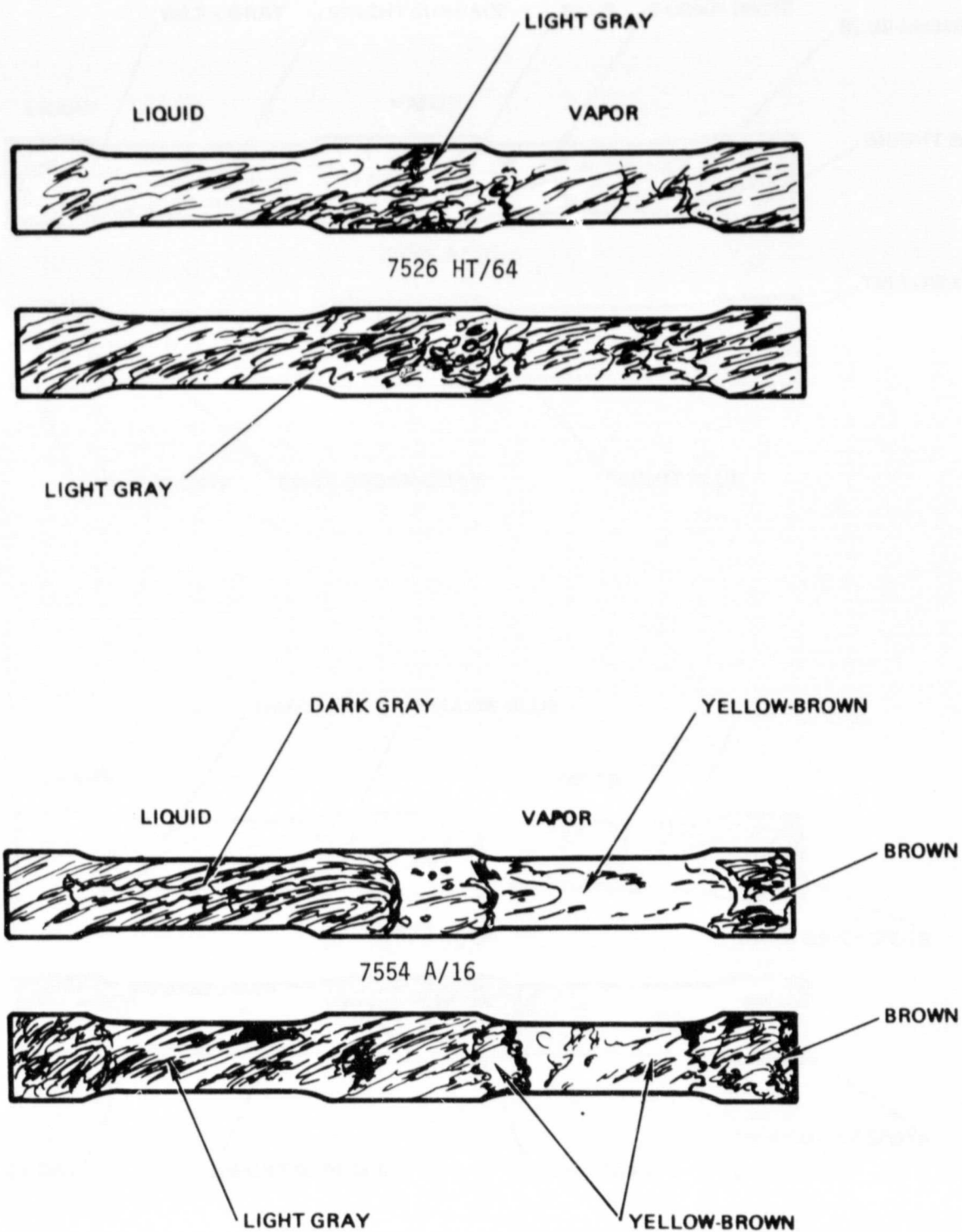


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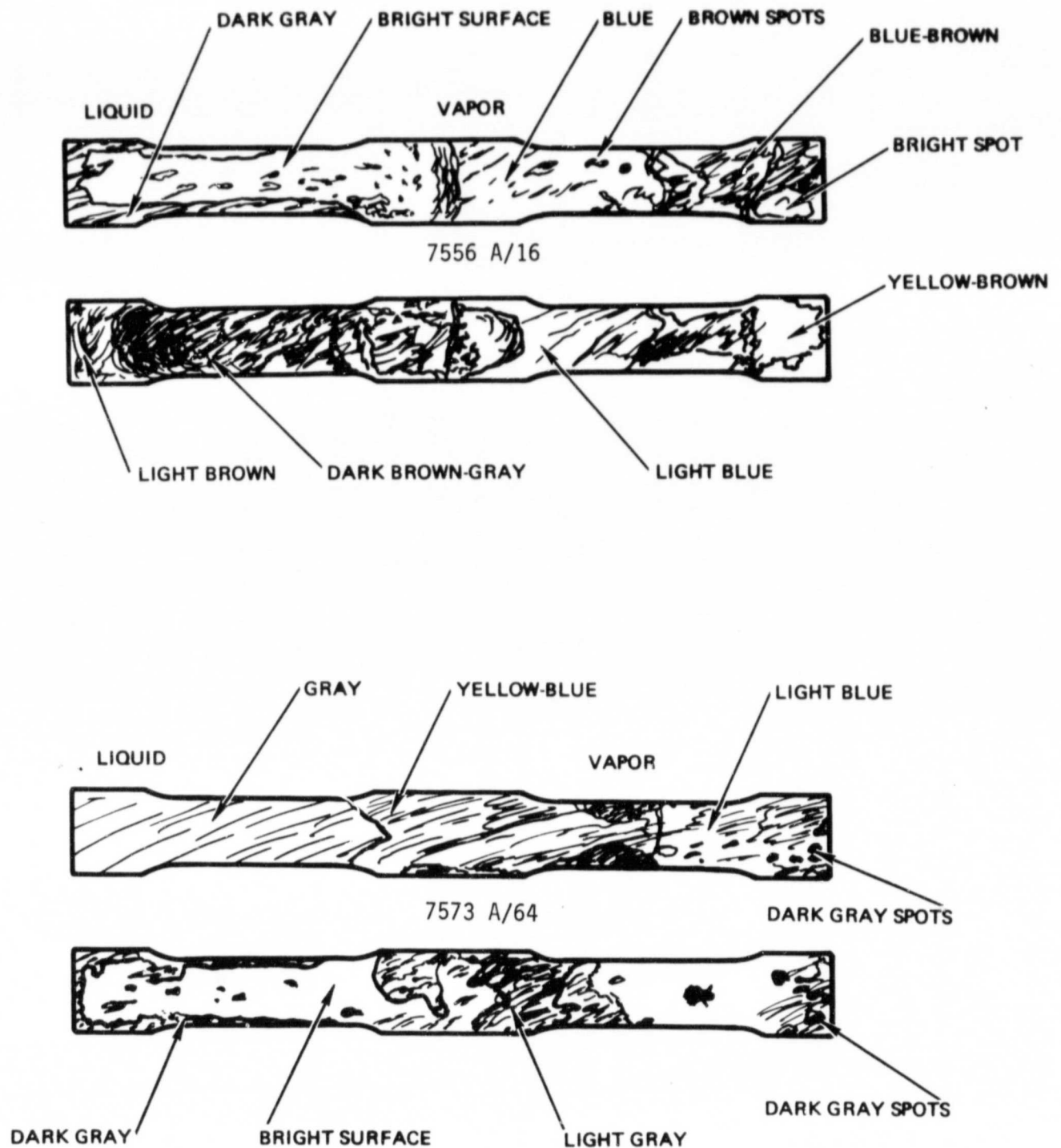


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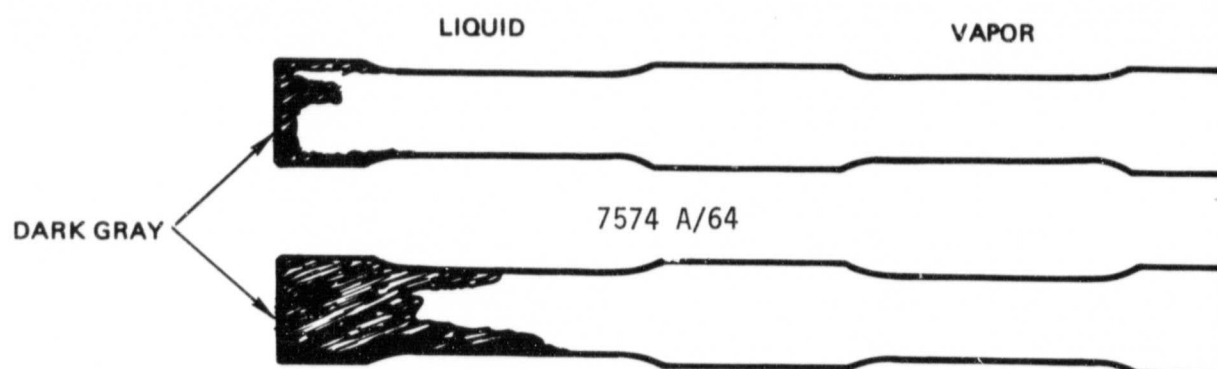
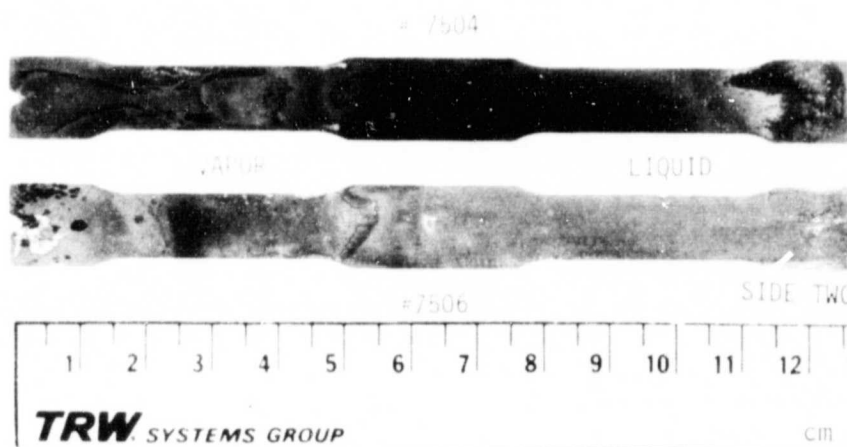
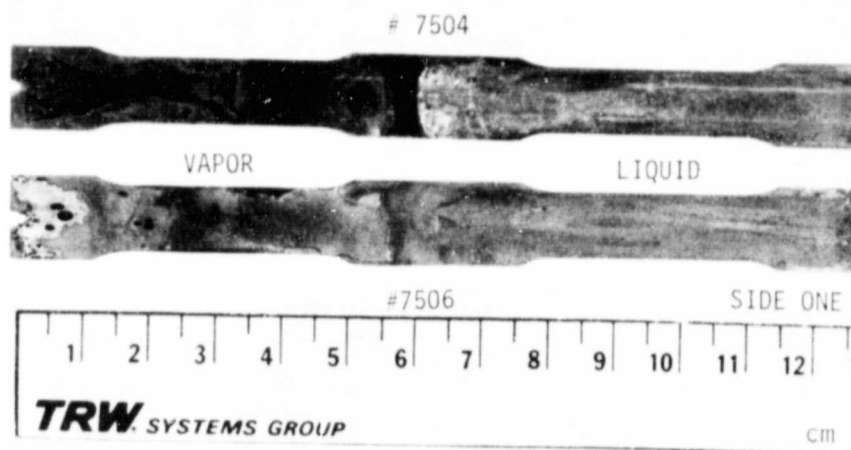


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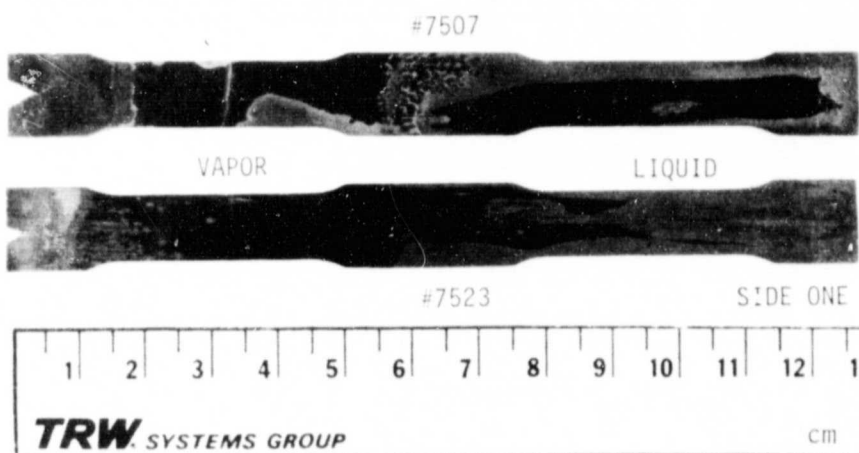
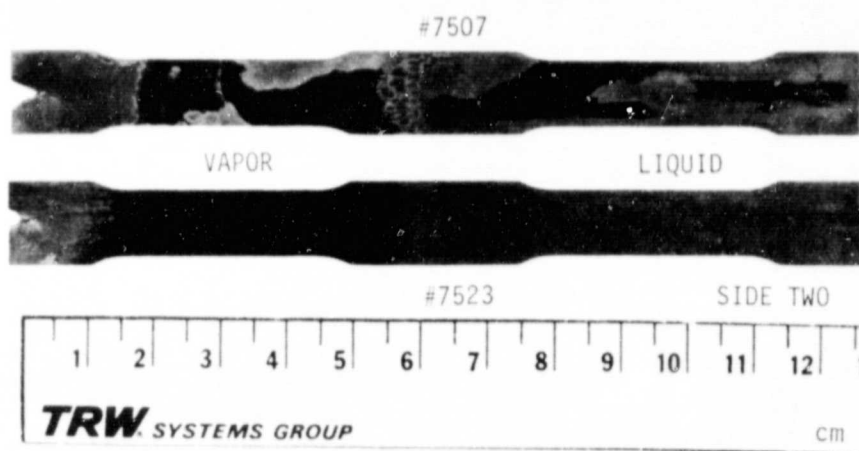


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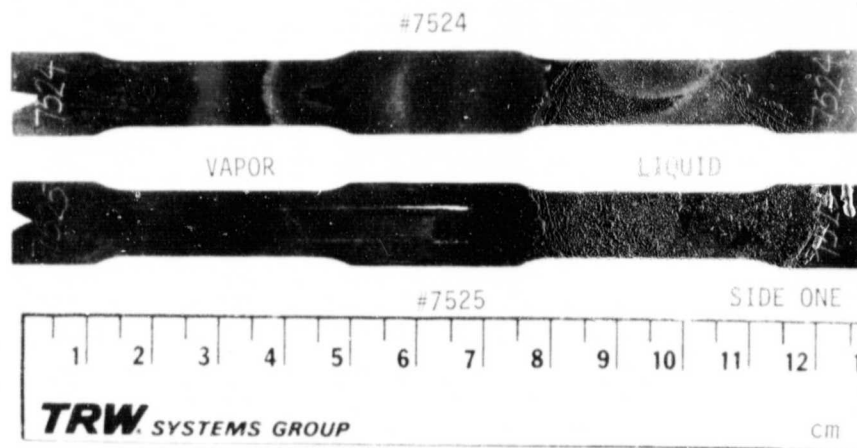
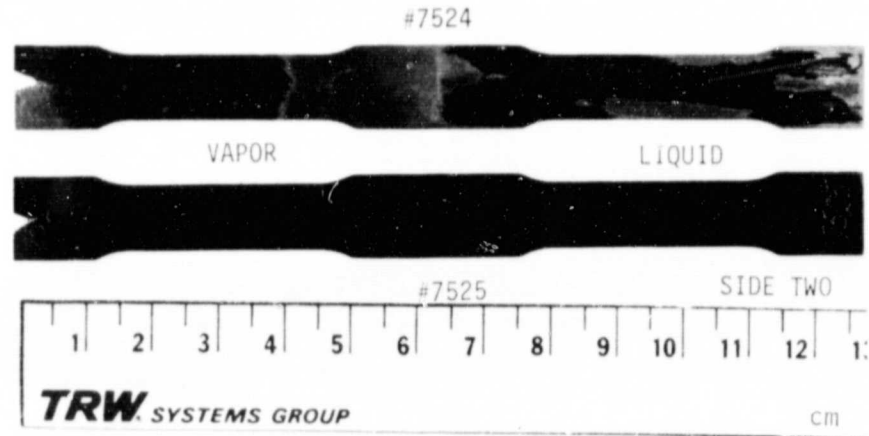


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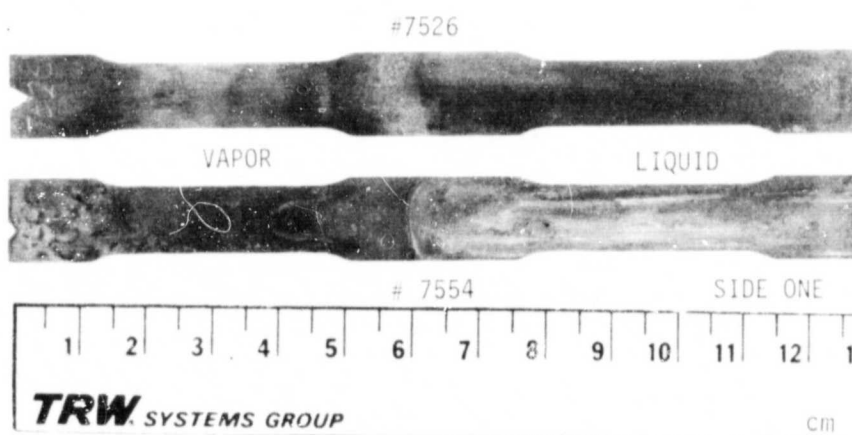
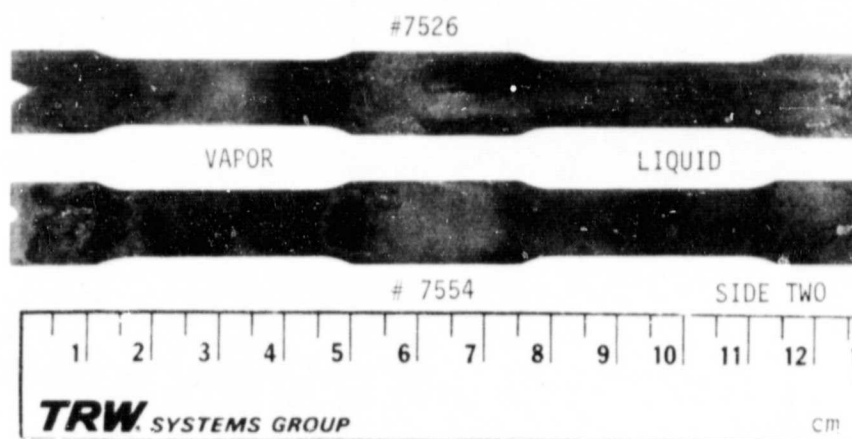
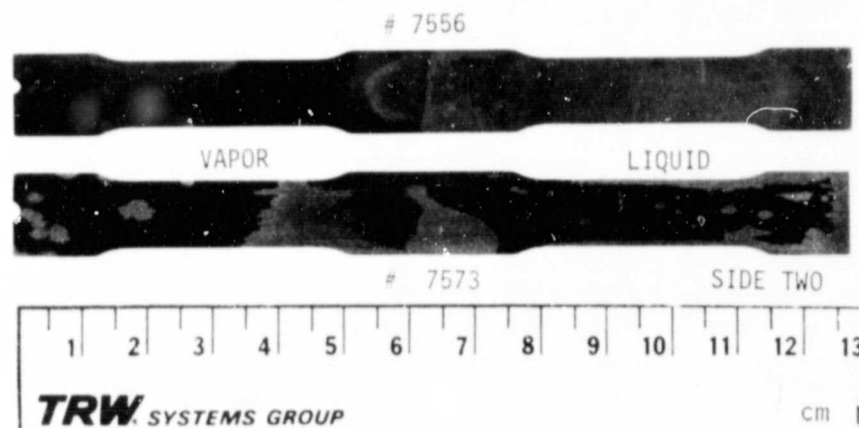


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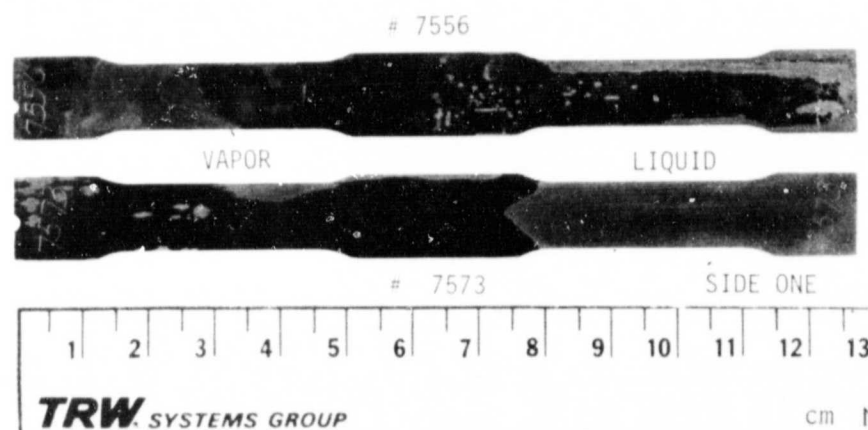


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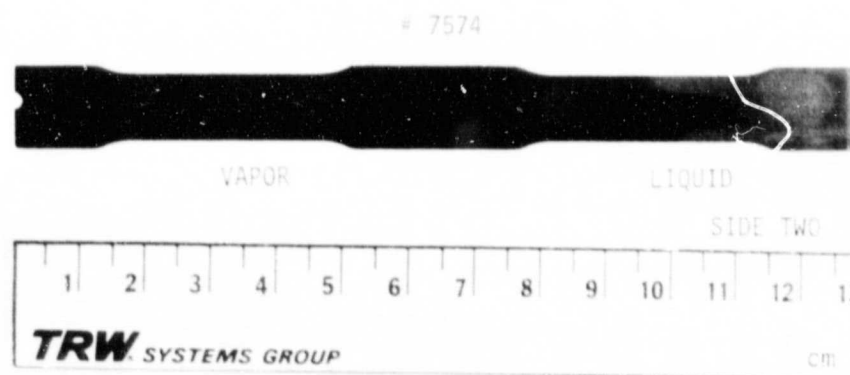
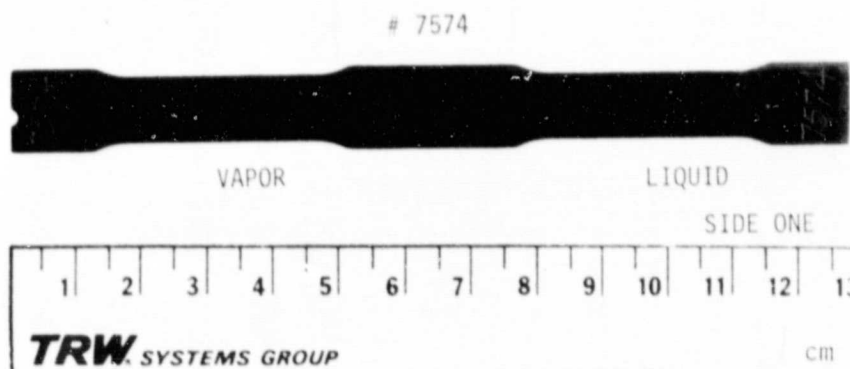


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Figure G-4: 39-Month Immersion Post-Exposure Photomicrographs



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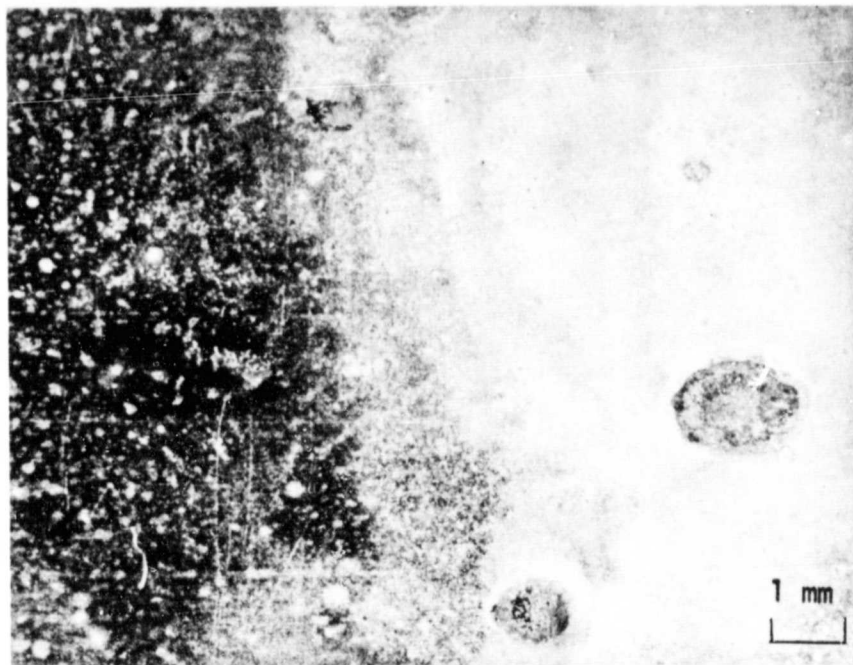
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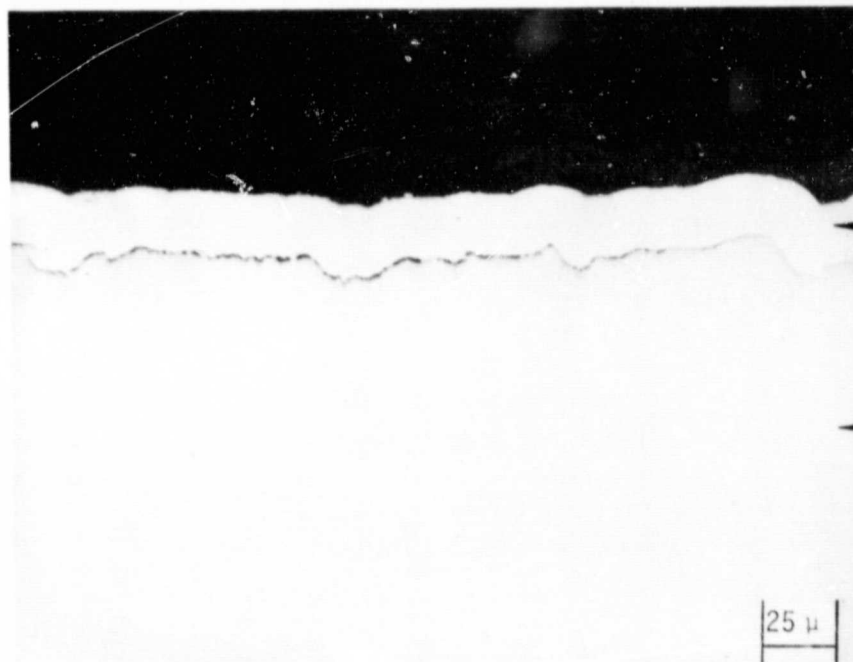
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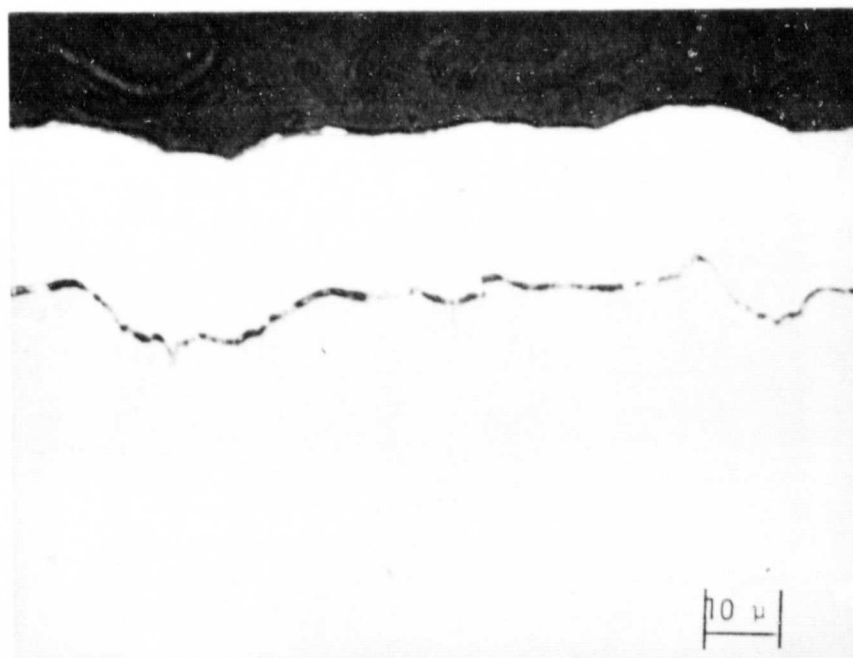
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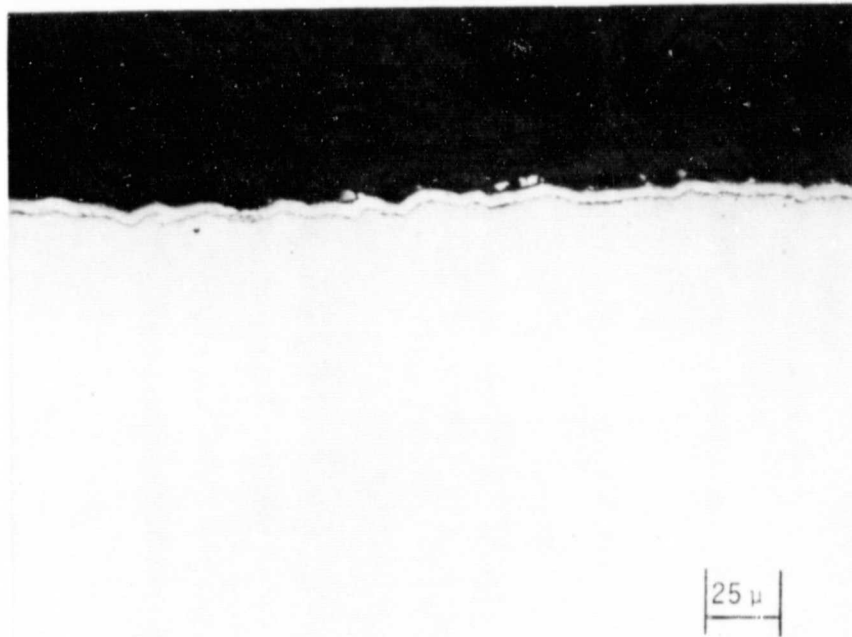
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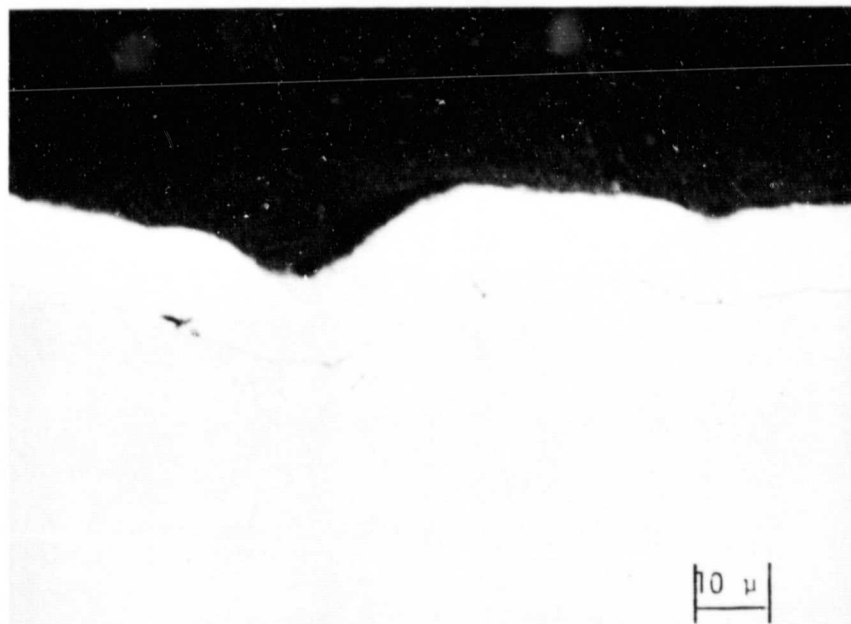


h) 7524 Liquid ( $\sim 400 \times$ )



i) 7524 Liquid ( $\sim 1000 \times$ )

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j) 7554 Vapor ( $\sim 1000 \times$ )

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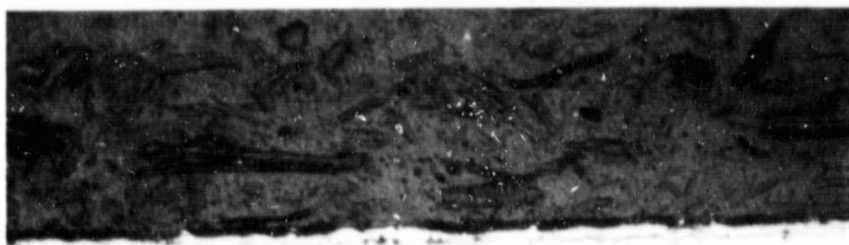
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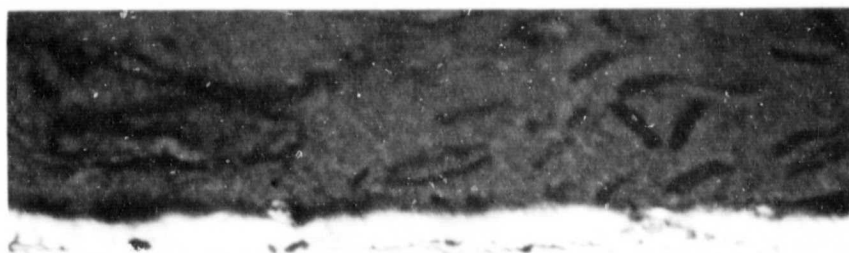
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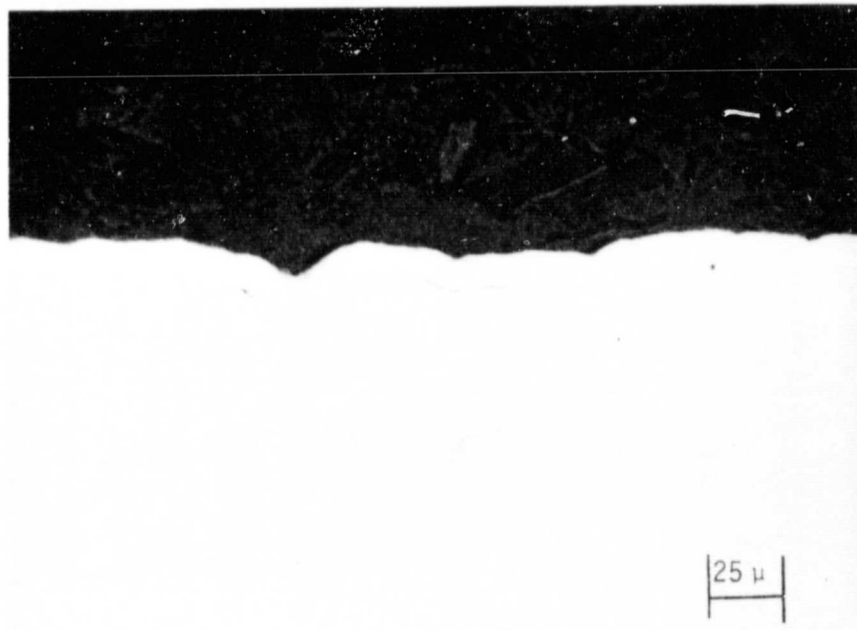


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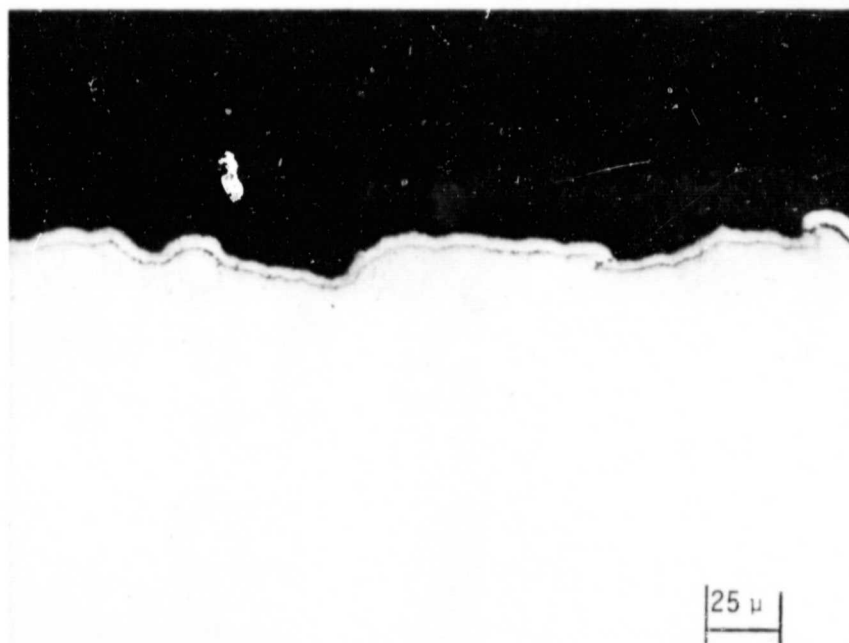
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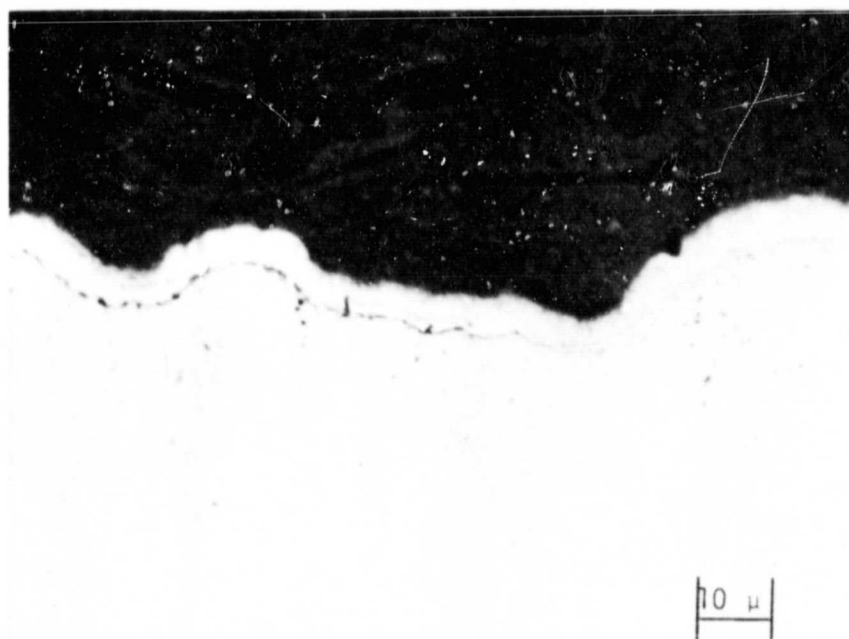


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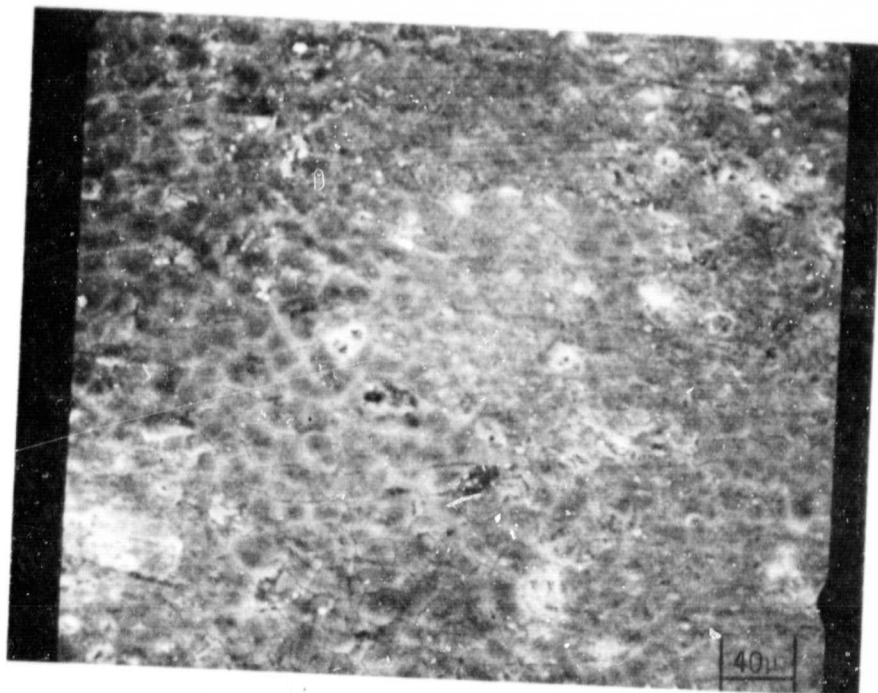


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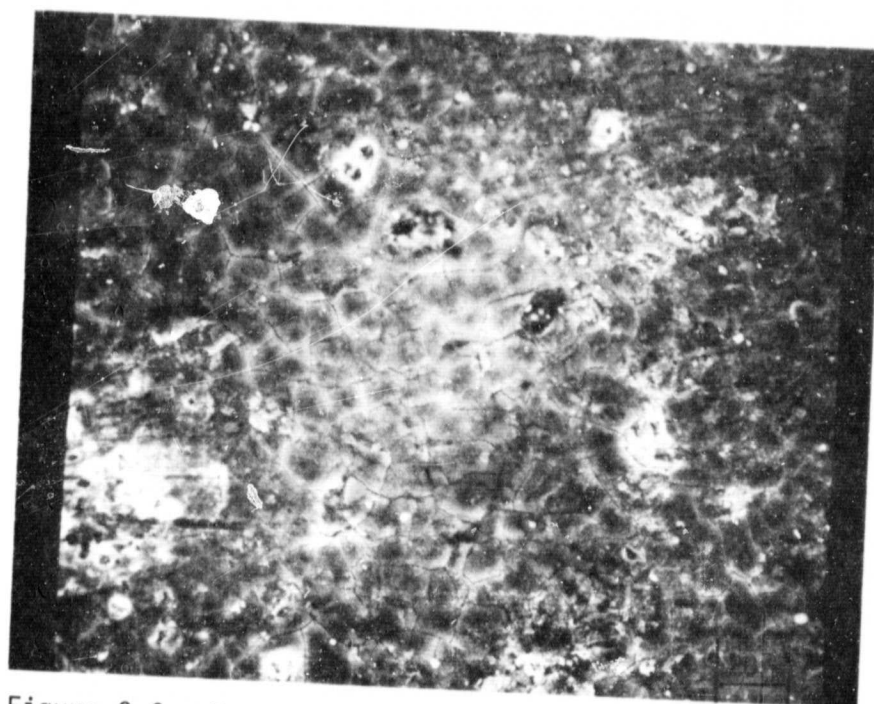


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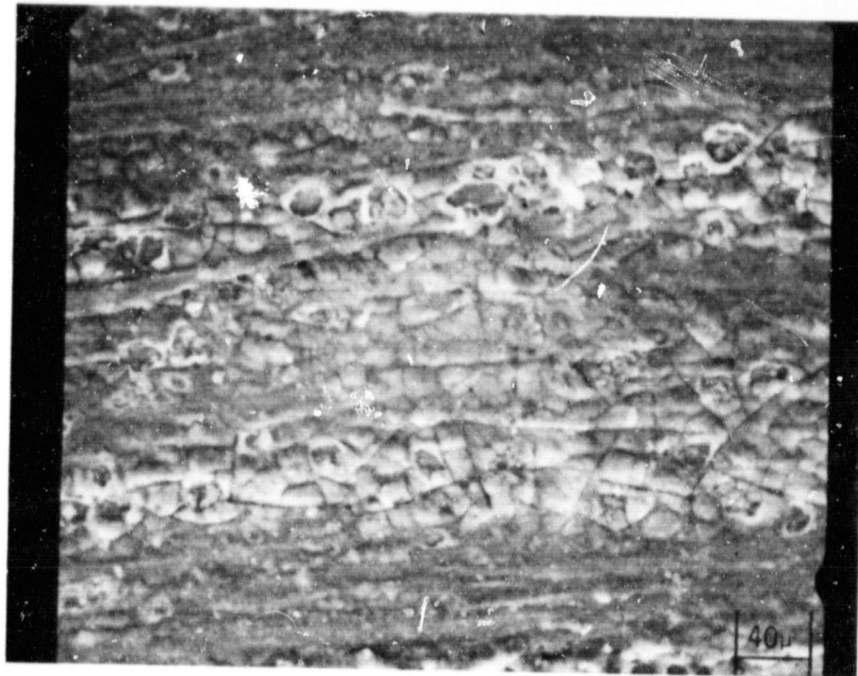
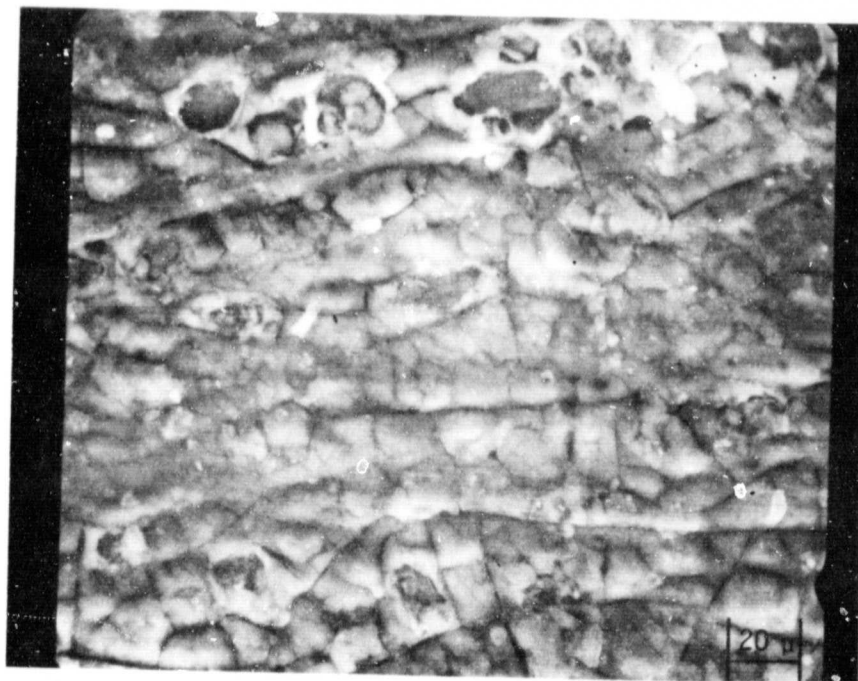


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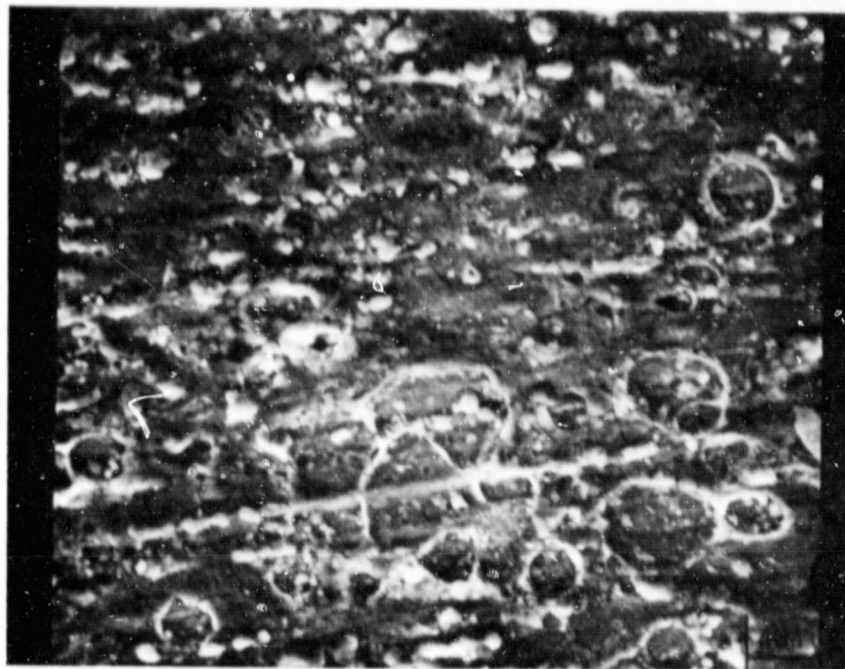


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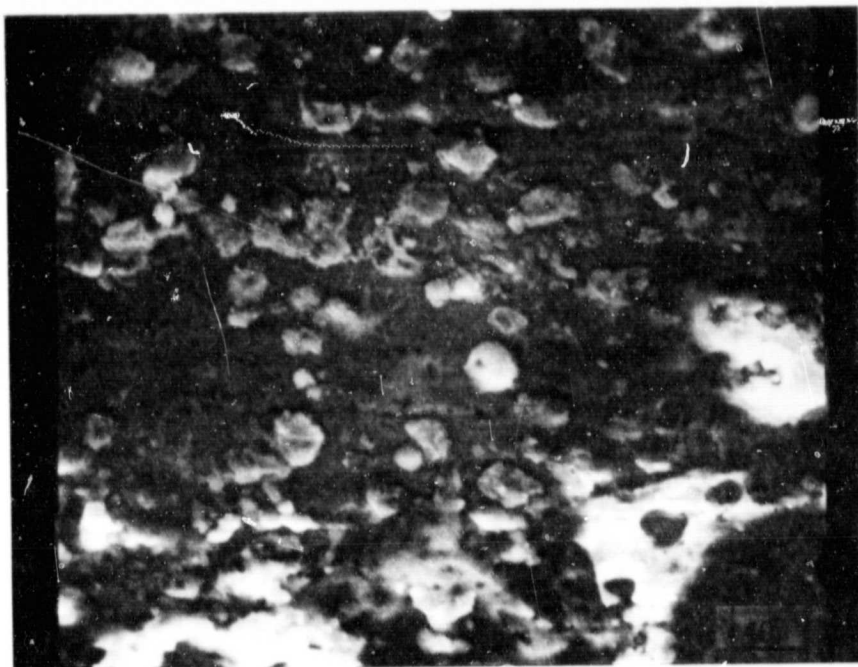


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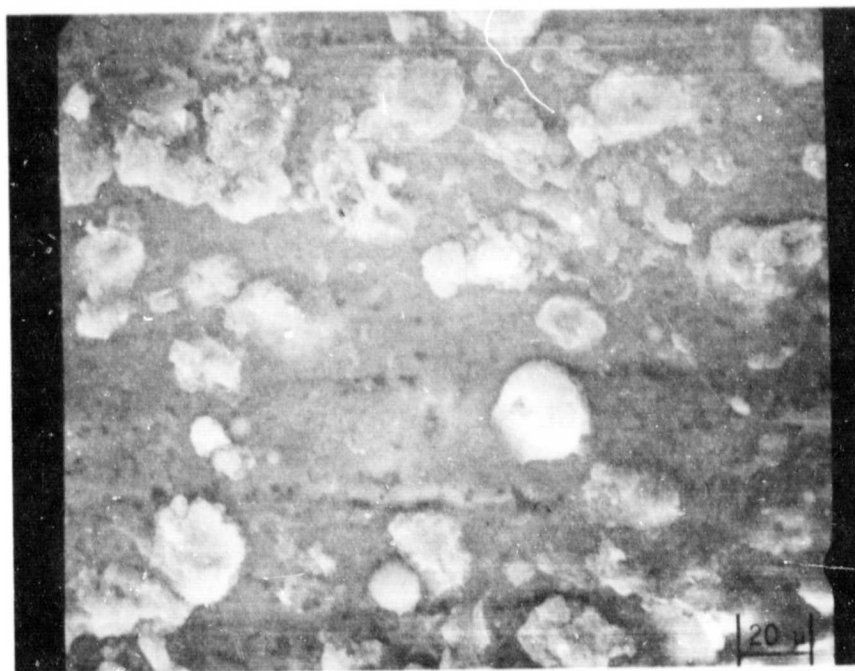


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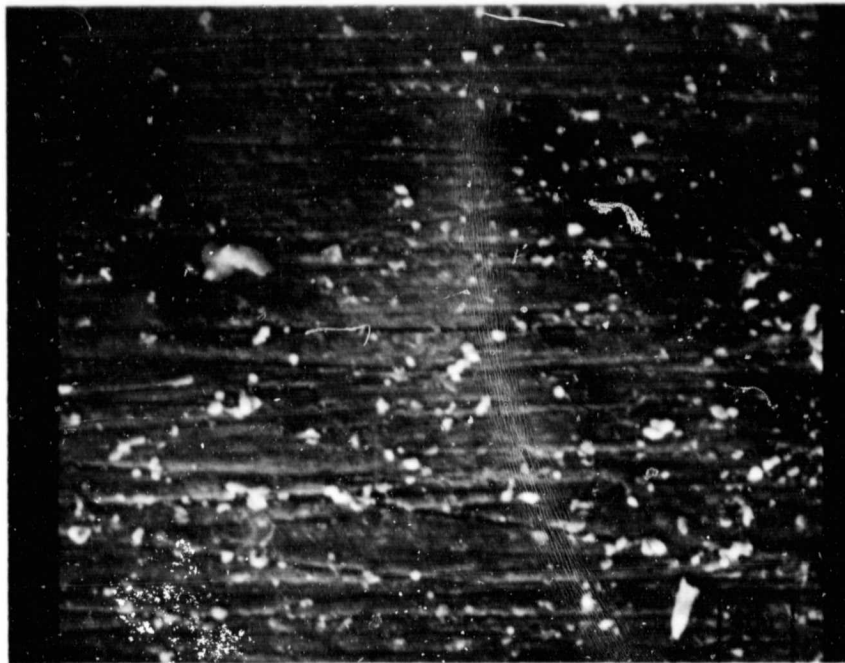


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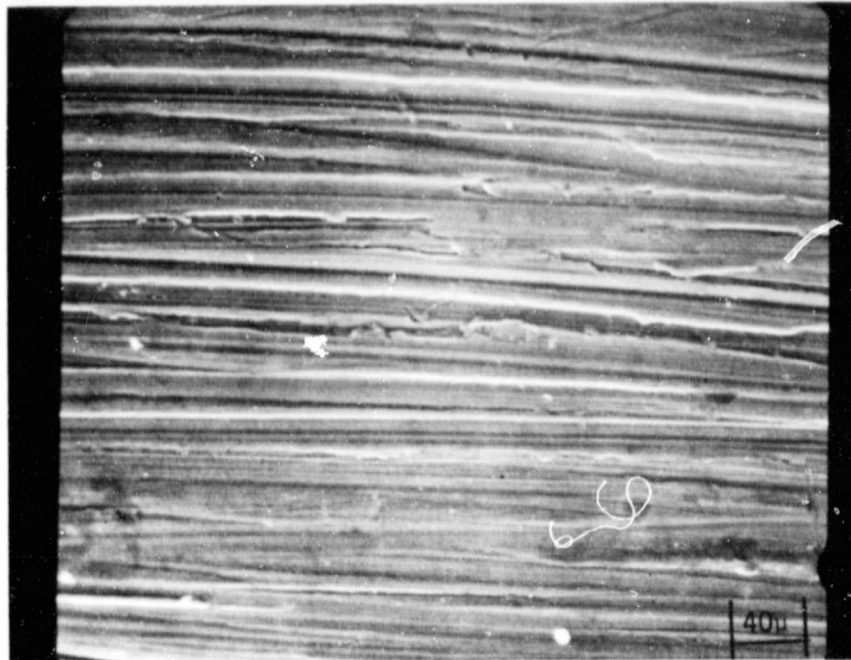


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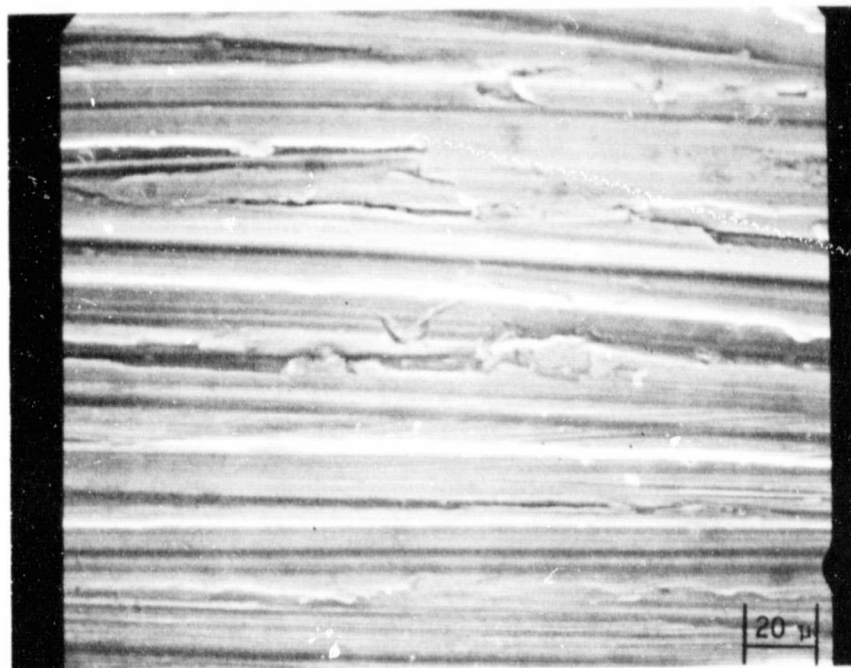


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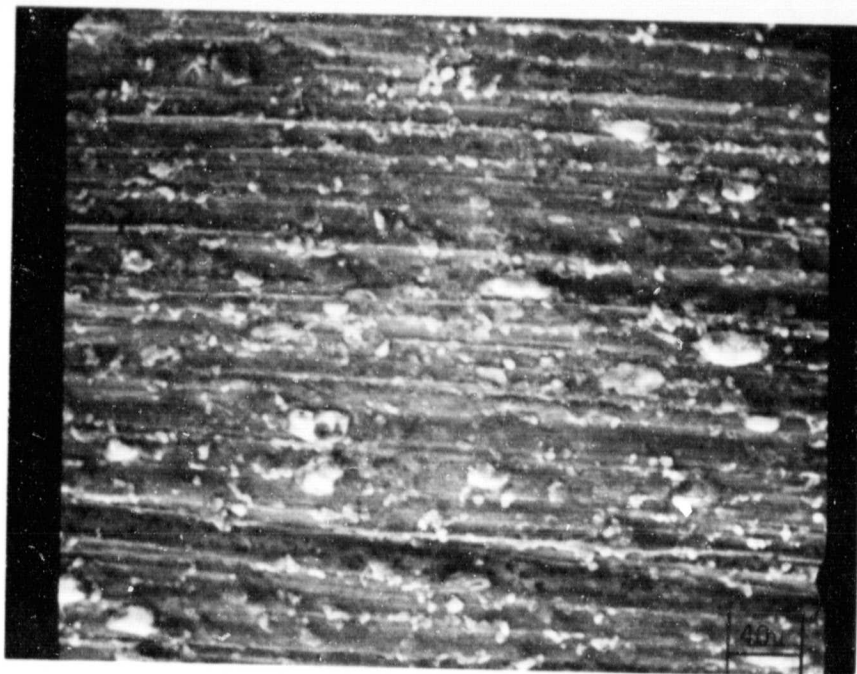
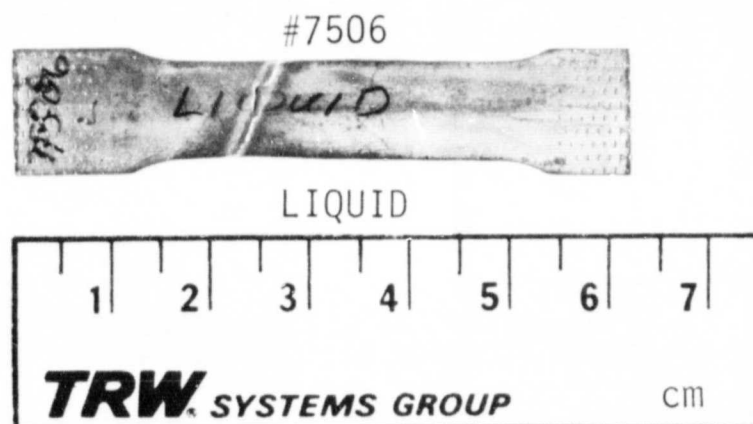
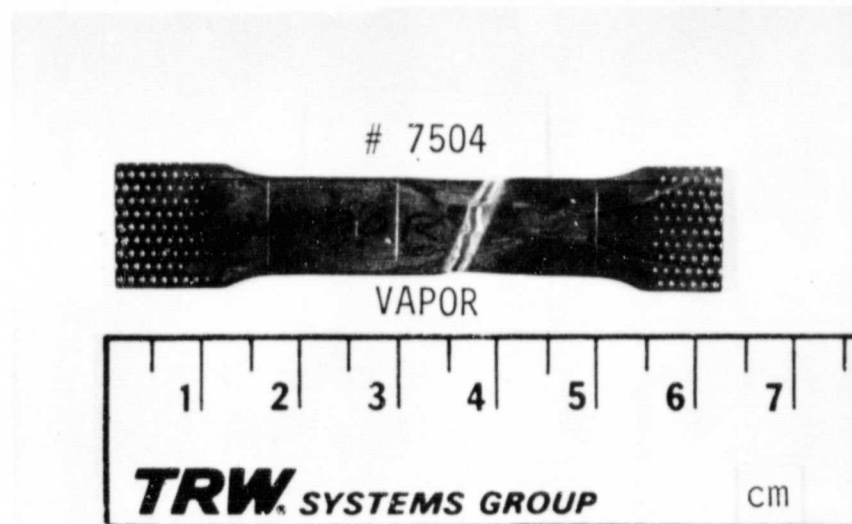


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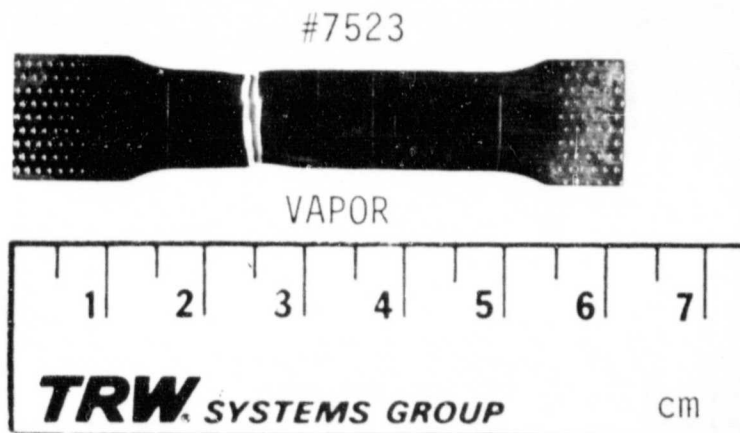
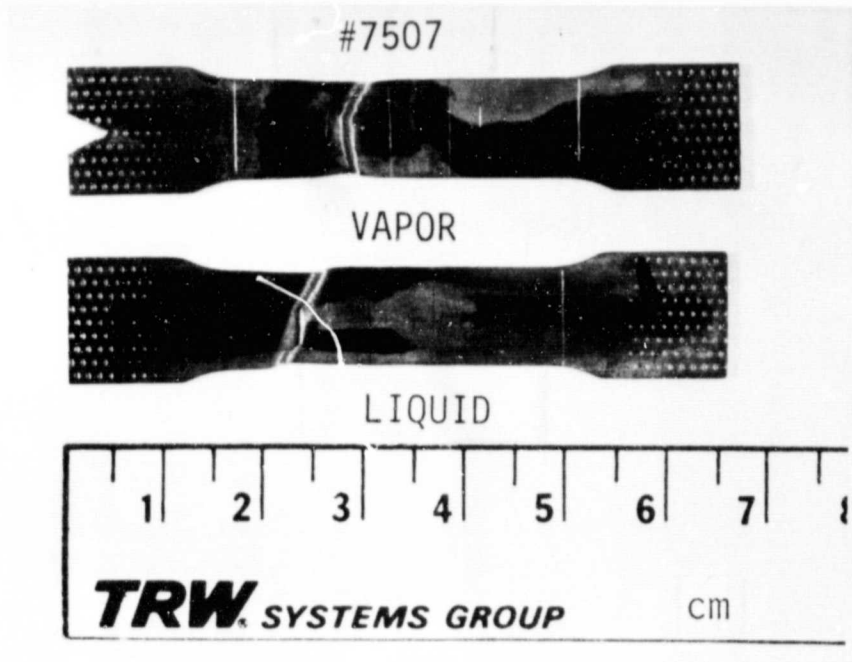
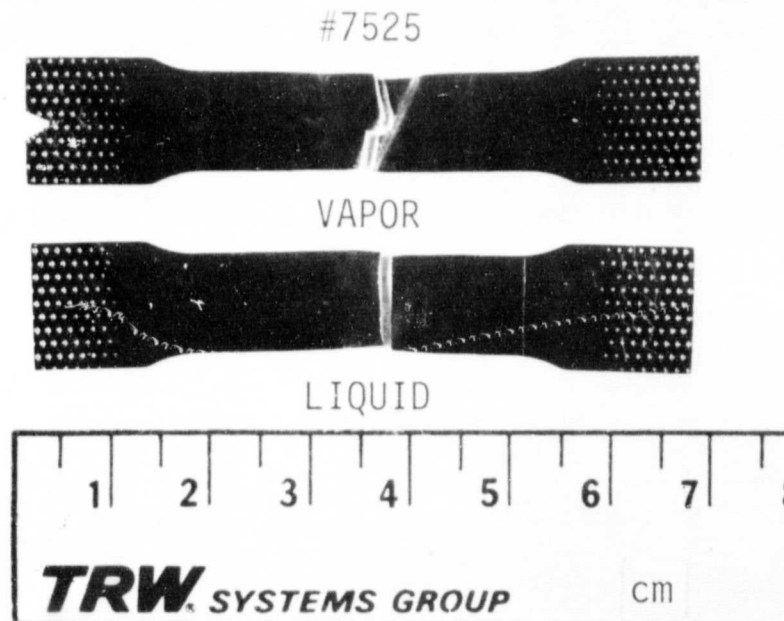
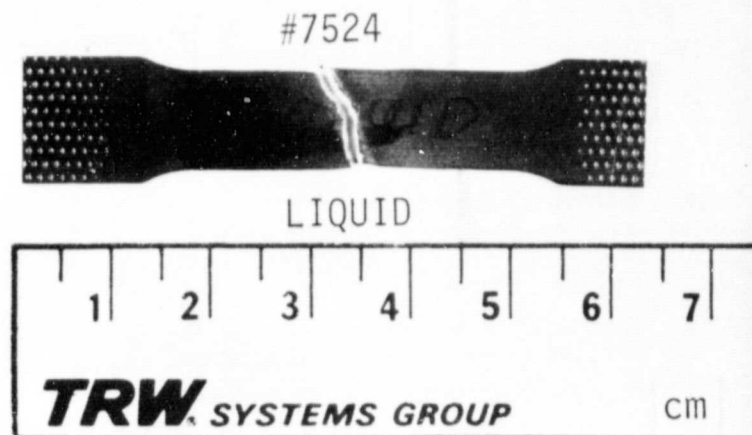


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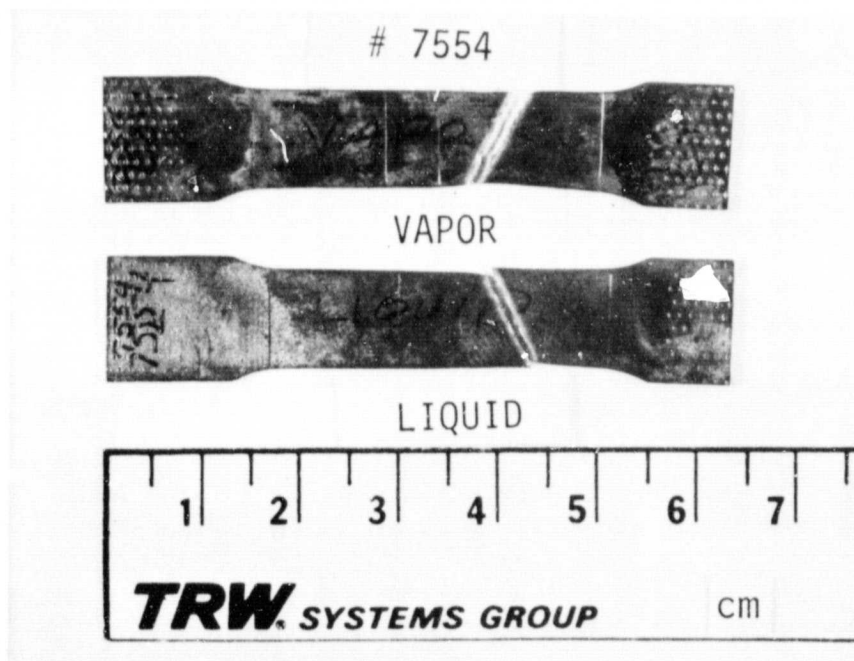
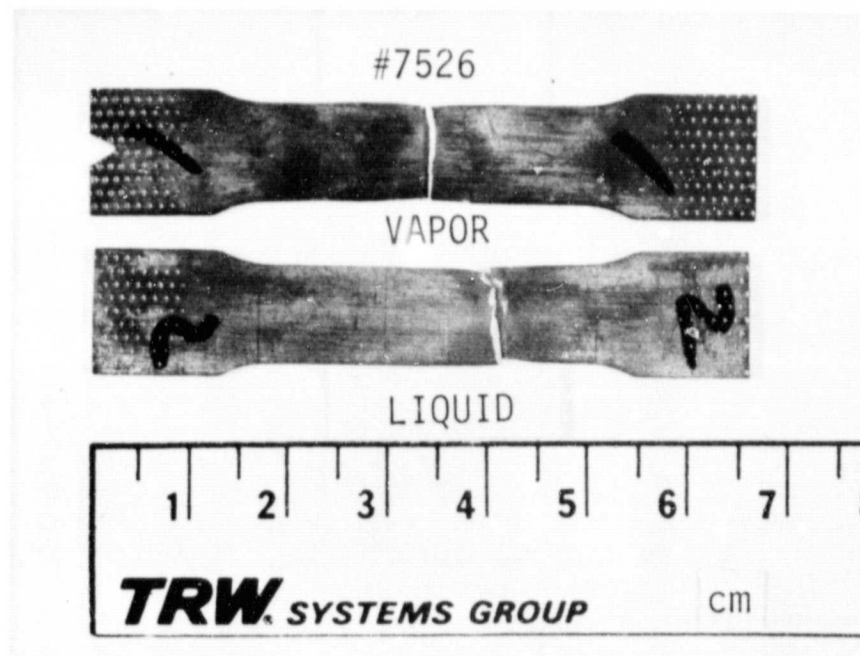


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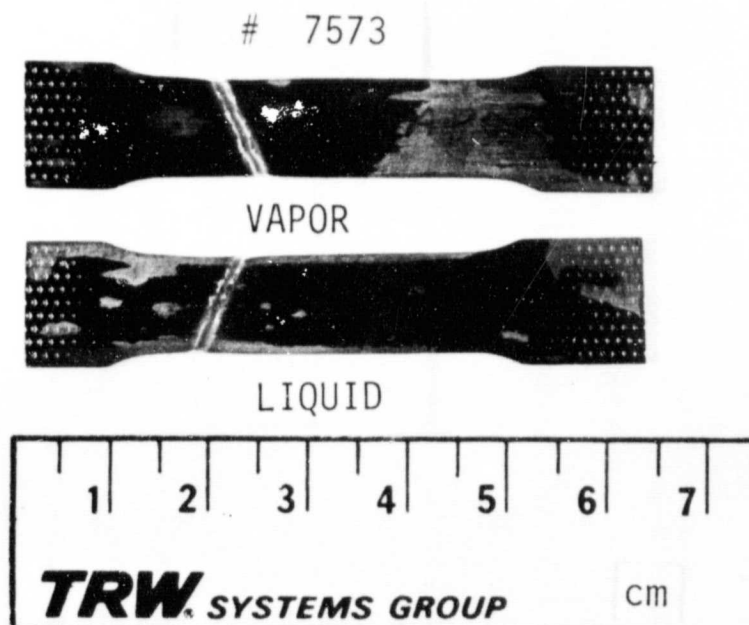
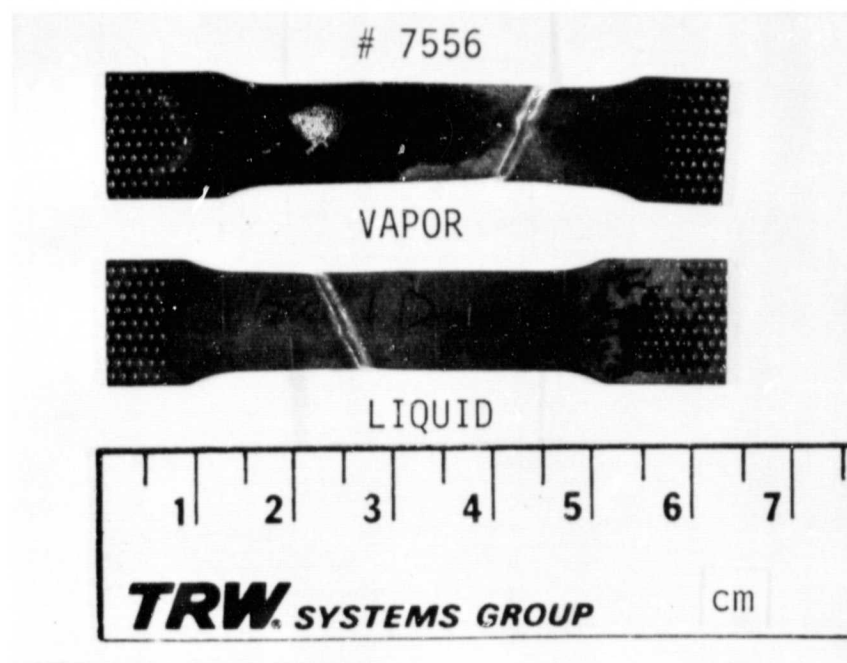


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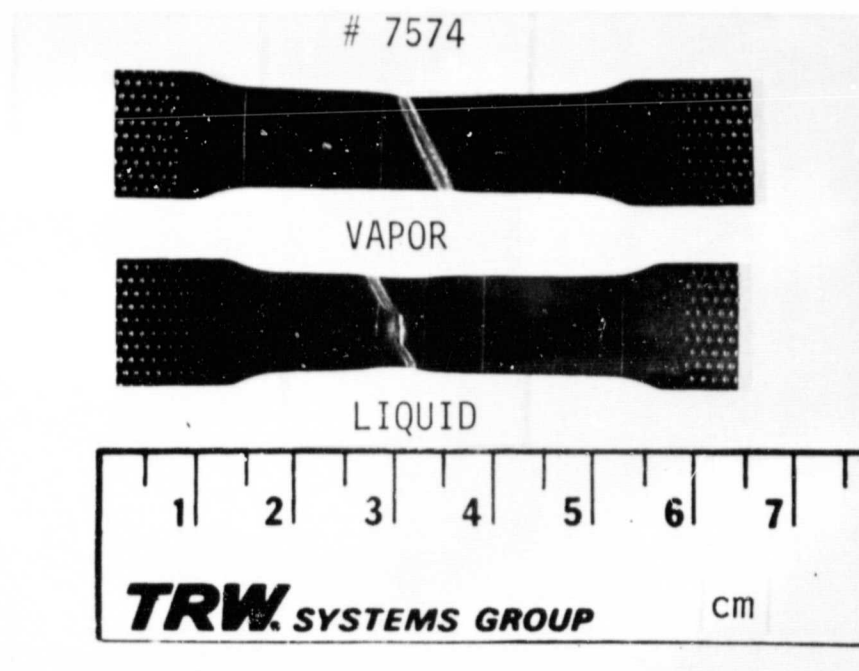


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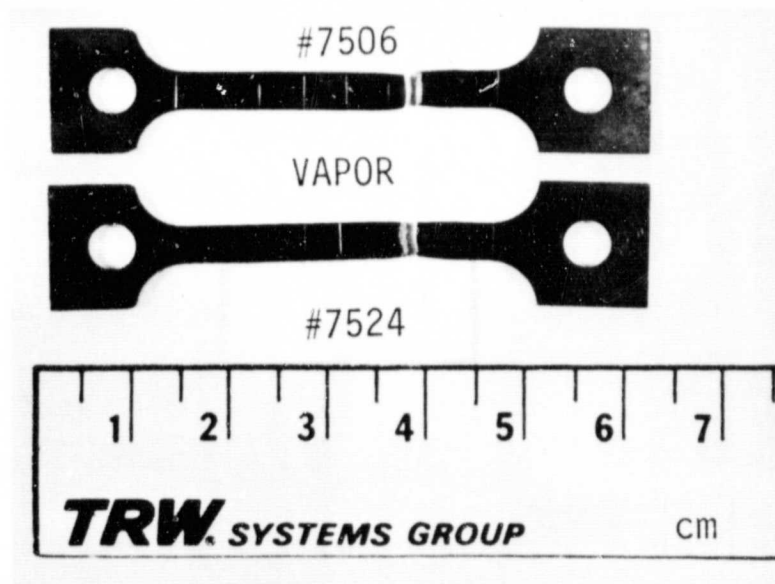
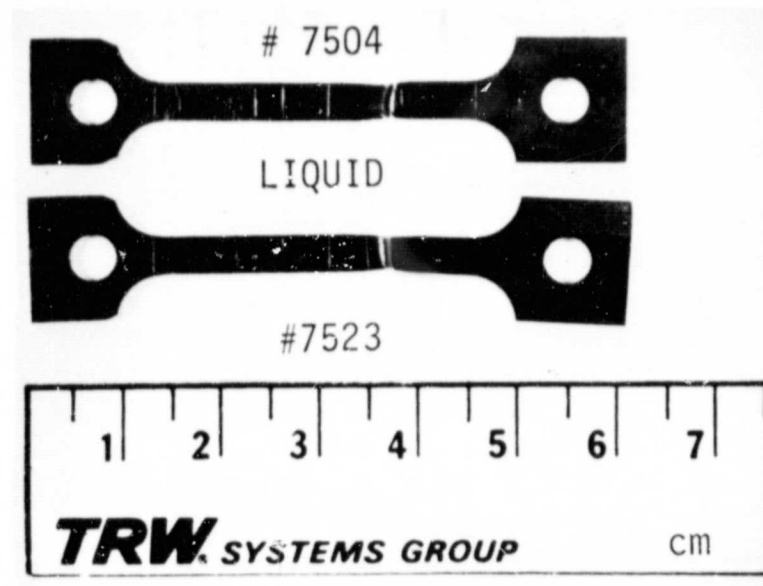
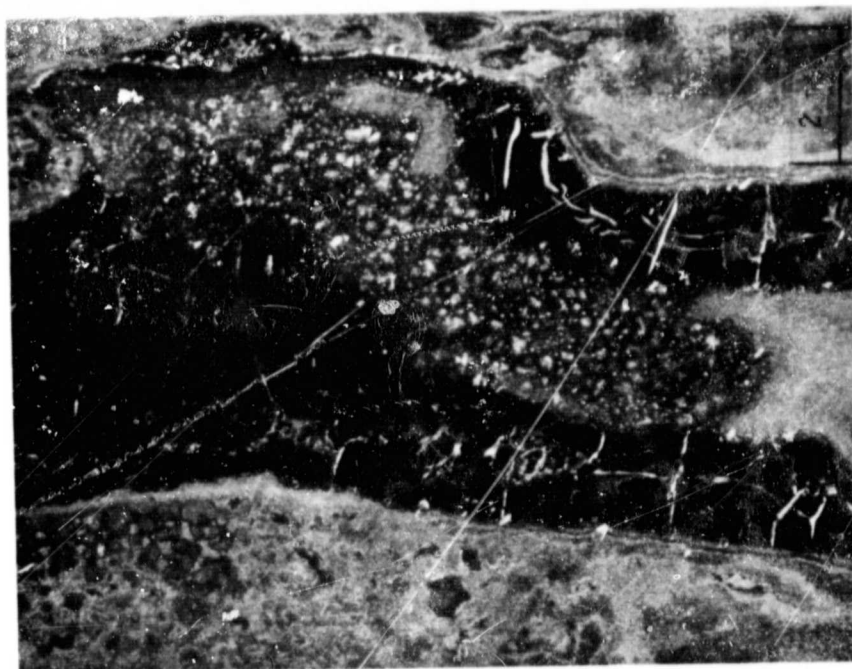


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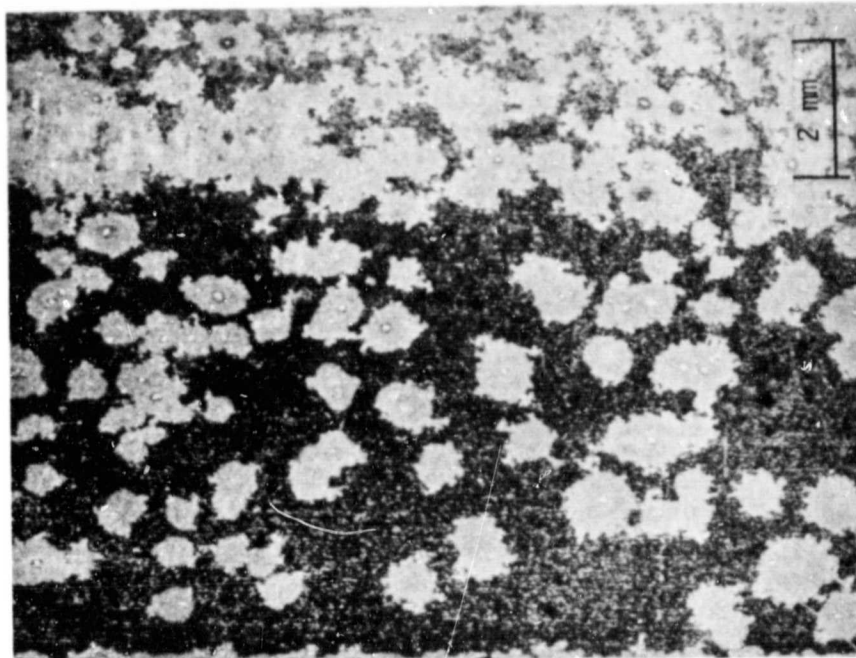
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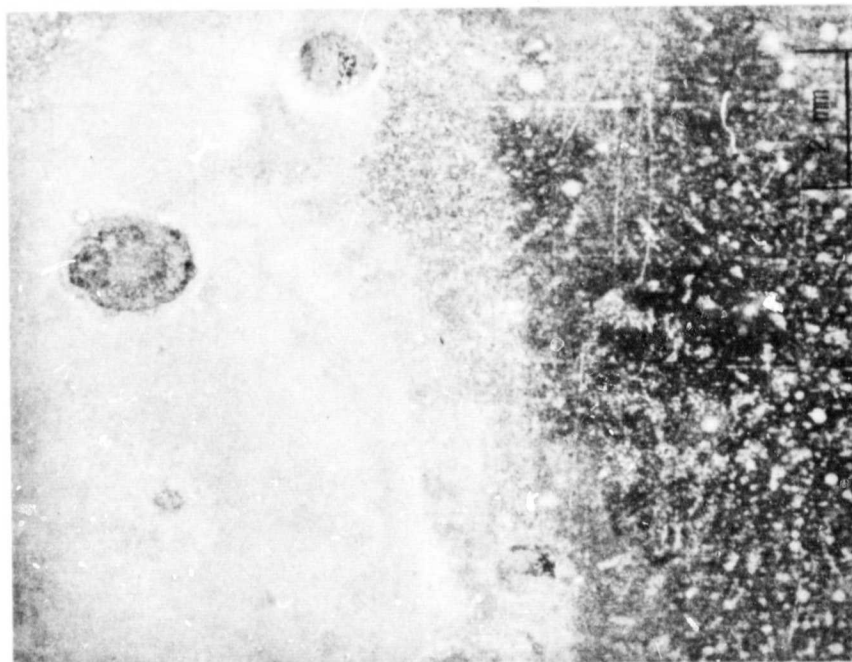
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Figure G-23: Low Magnification Photographs of Surface Features, 39-Month Immersion ( $\sim 10\times$ )





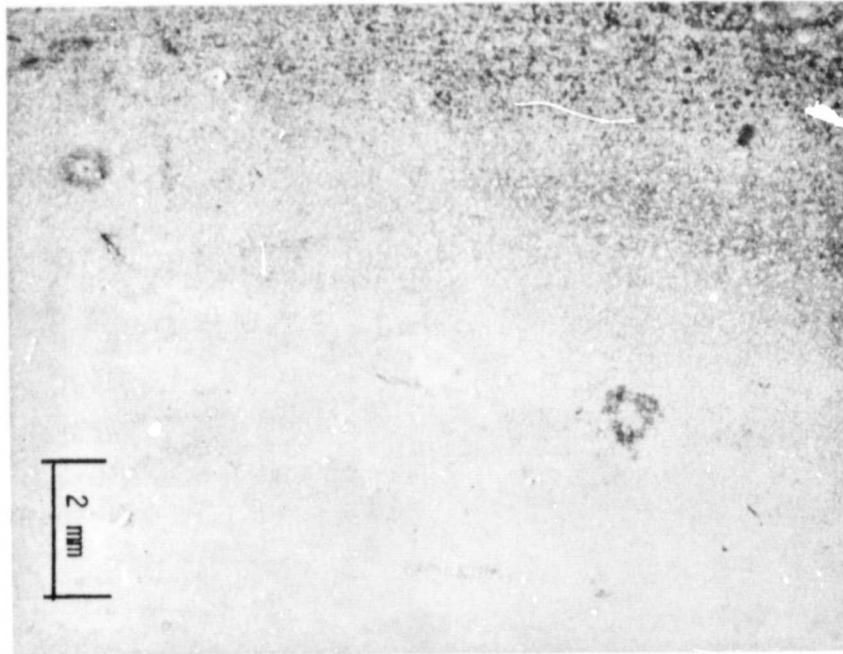
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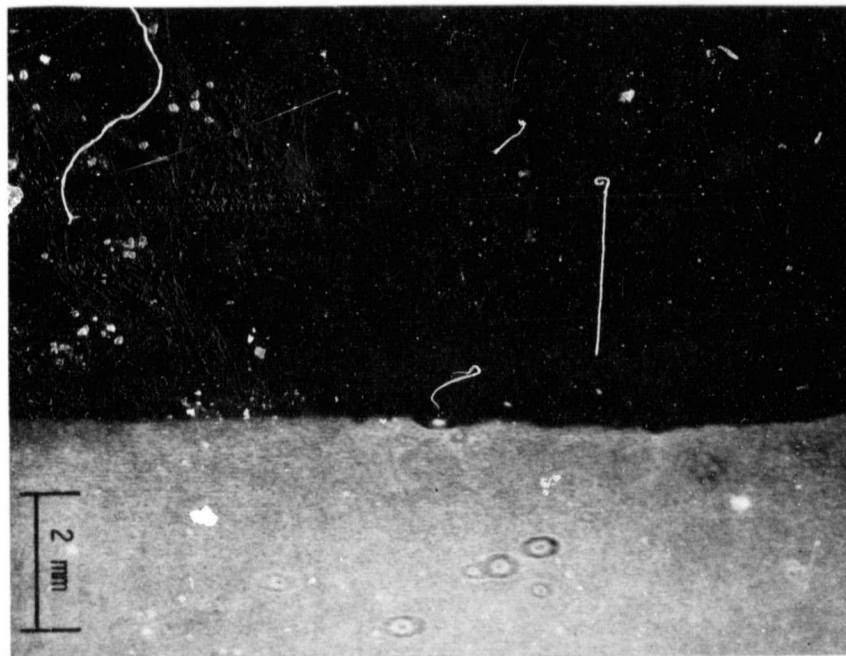
d) 7506, Vapor

Figure G-23 (Cont'd): Low Magnification Photographs of Surface Features, 39-Month Immersion ( $\sim 10\times$ )

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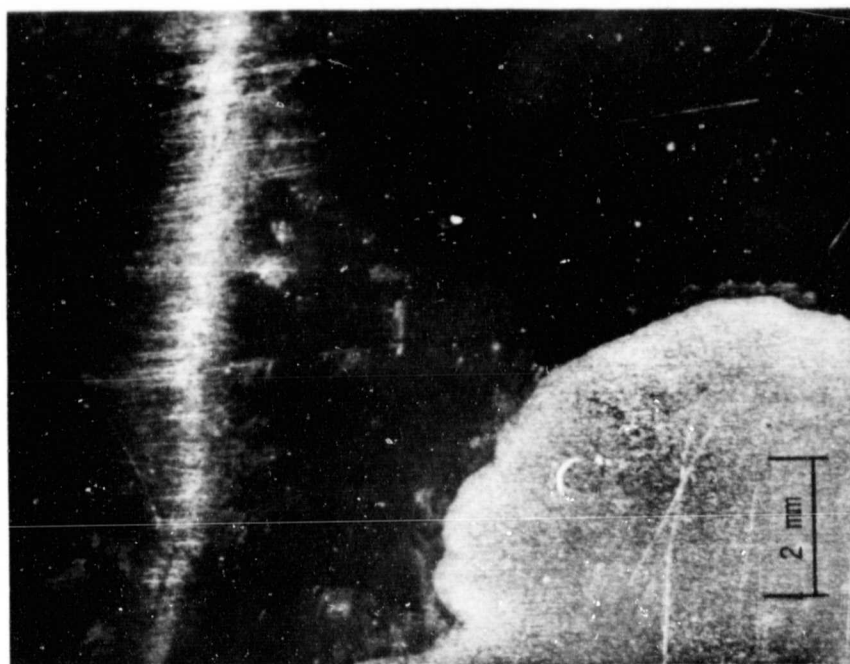
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Figure G-23 (Cont'd): Low Magnification Photographs of  
Surface Features, 39-Month Immersion  
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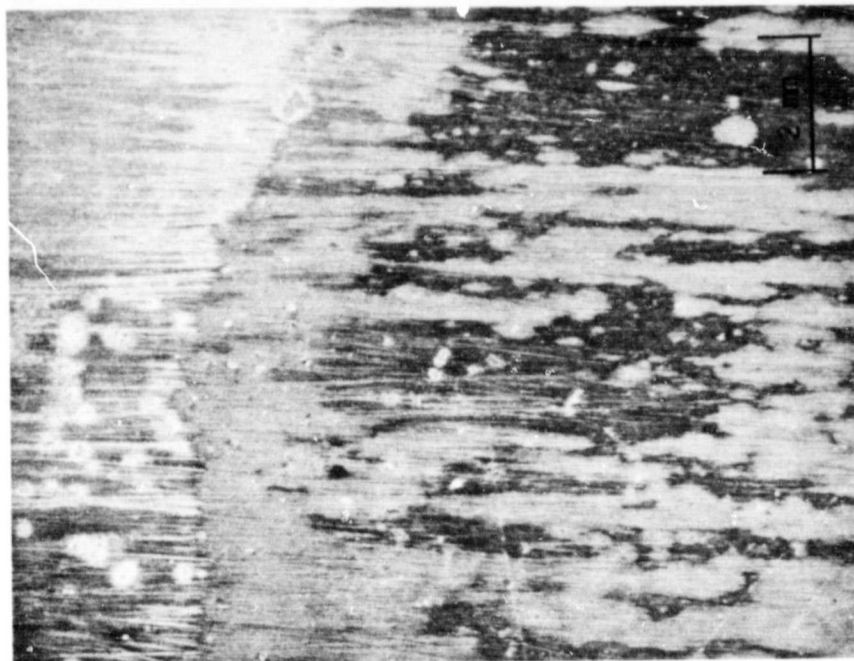
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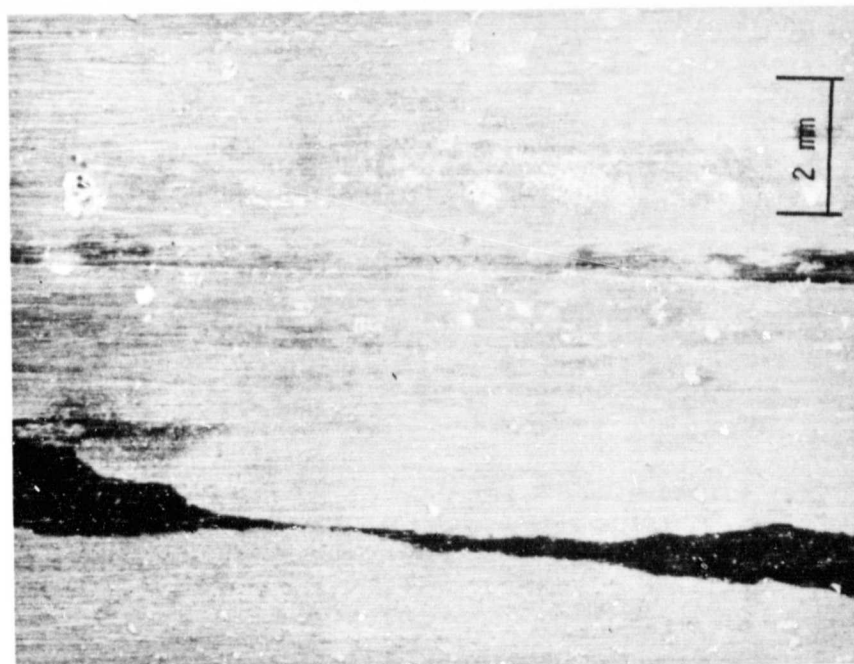


g) 7507, Vapor

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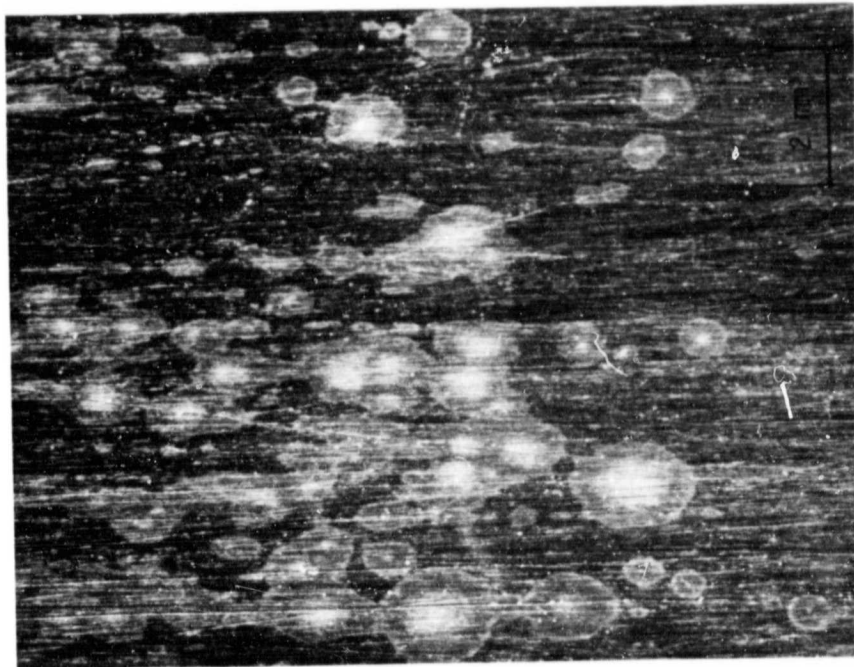
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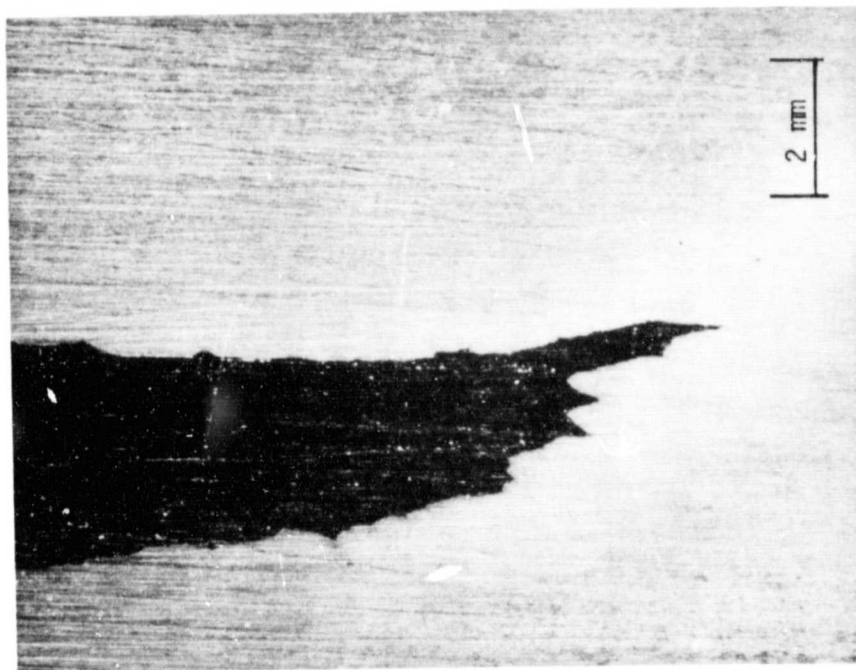
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Figure G-23 (Cont'd): Low Magnification Photographs of Surface Features, 39-Month Immersion ( $\sim 10\times$ )

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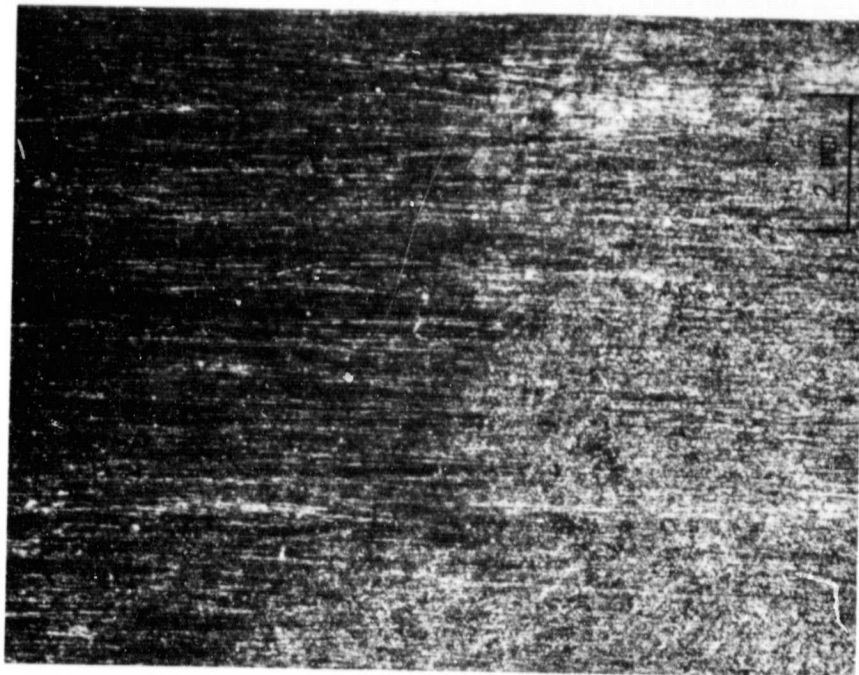


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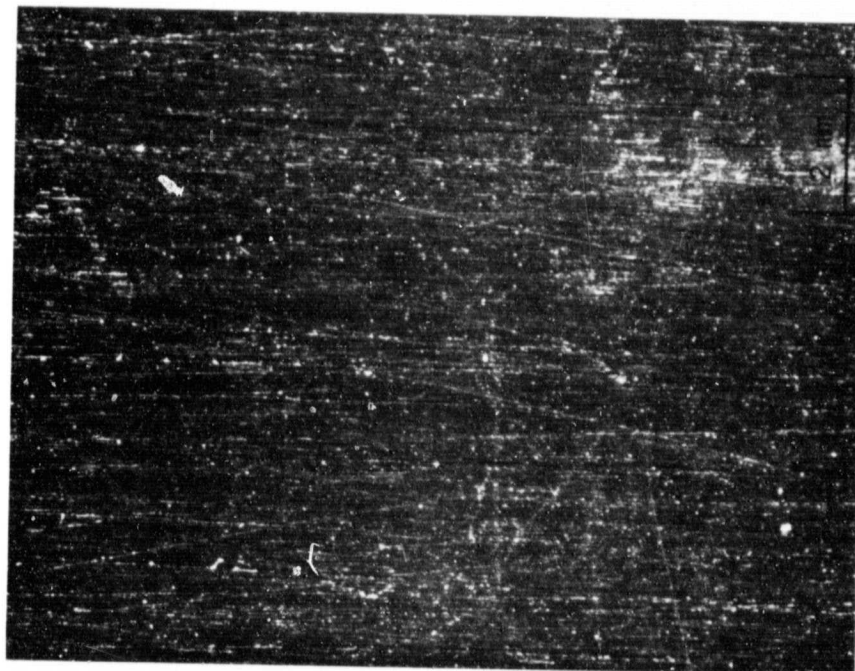


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Figure G-23 (Cont'd): Low Magnification Photographs of Surface Features, 39-Month Immersion ( $\sim 10\times$ )



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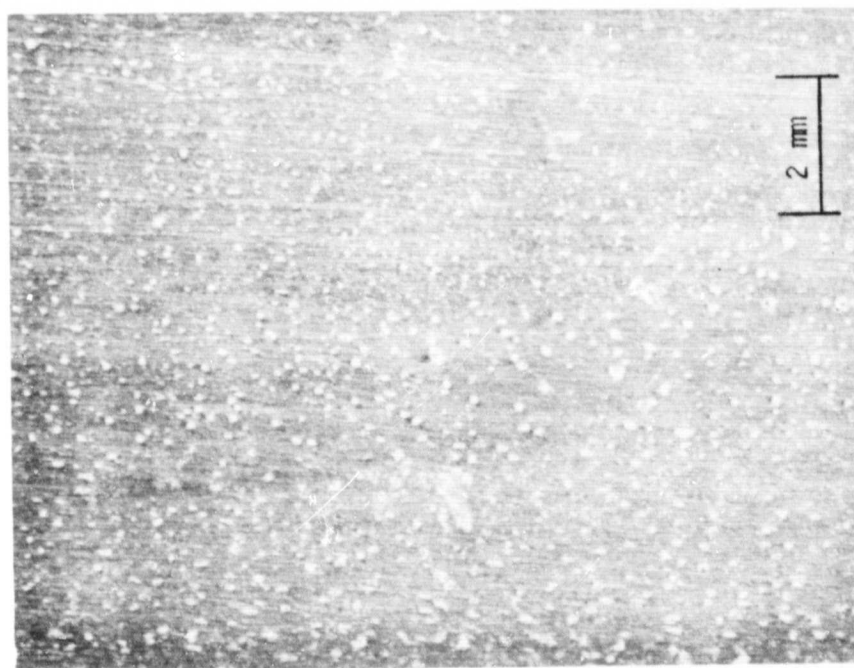


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Figure G-23 (Cont'd): Low Magnification Photographs of Surface Features, 39-Month Immersion ( $\sim 10\times$ )



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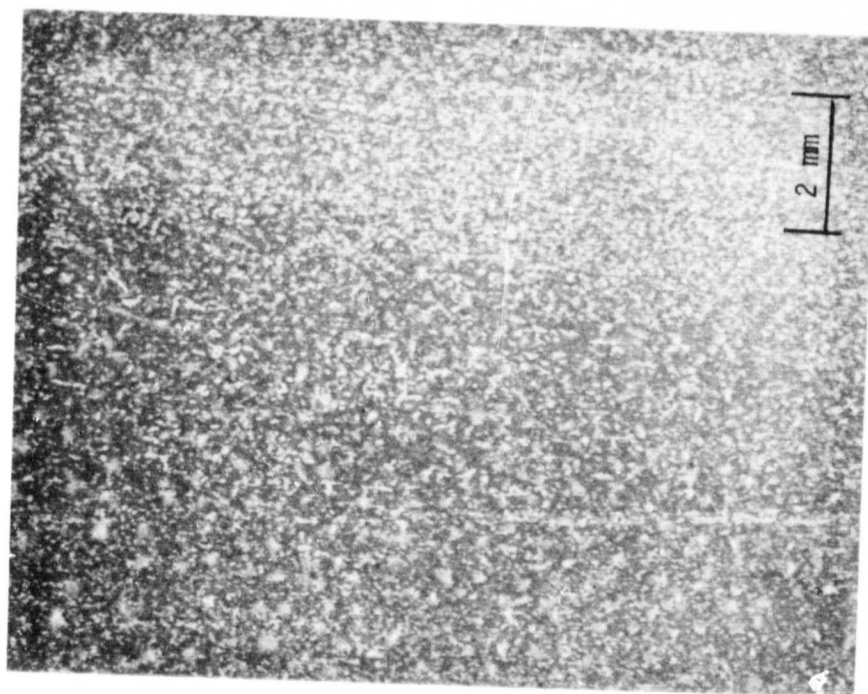
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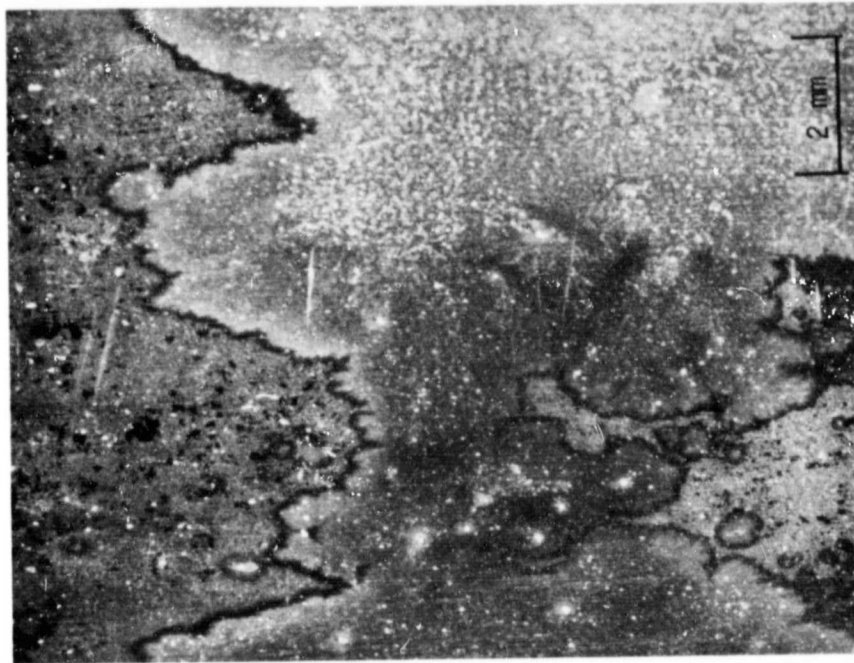


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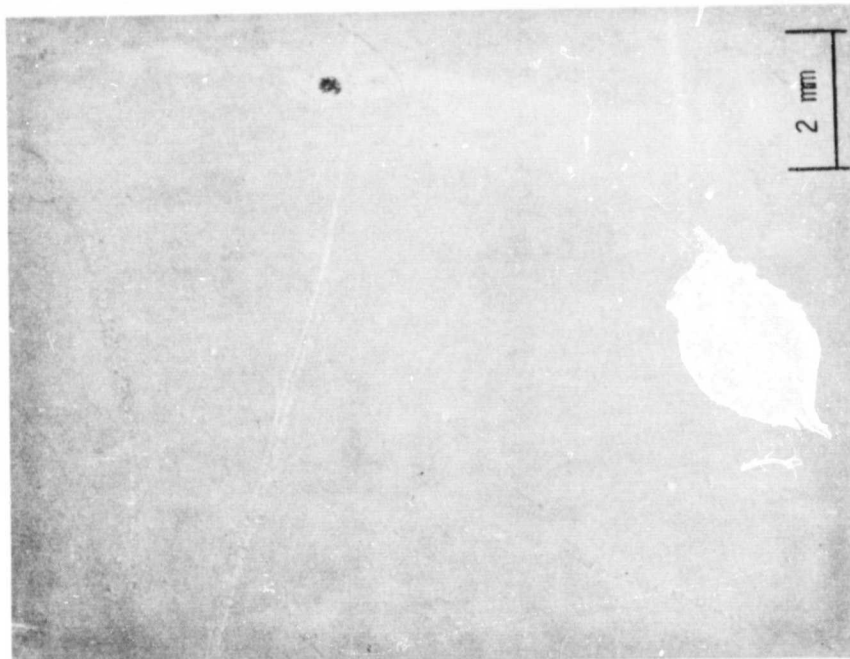


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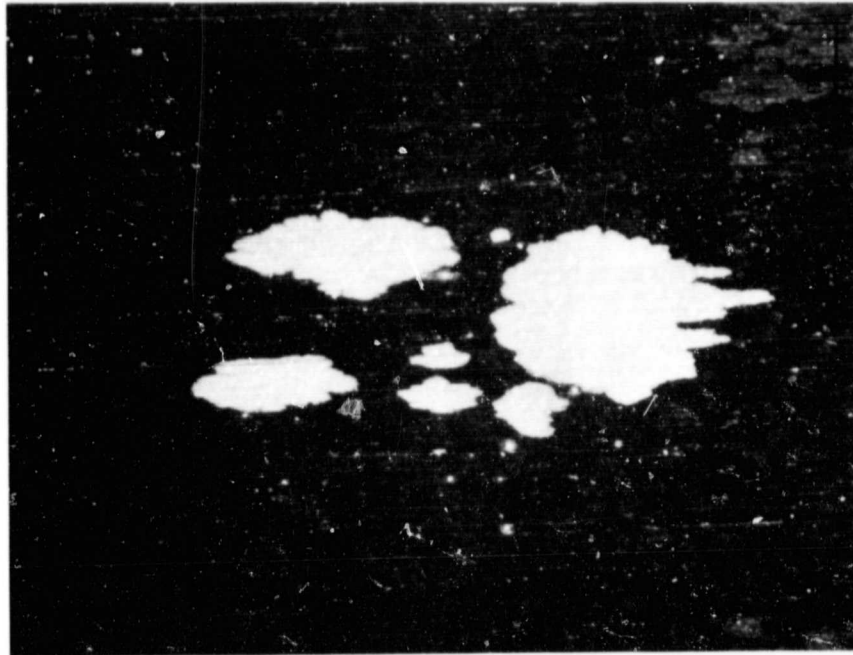
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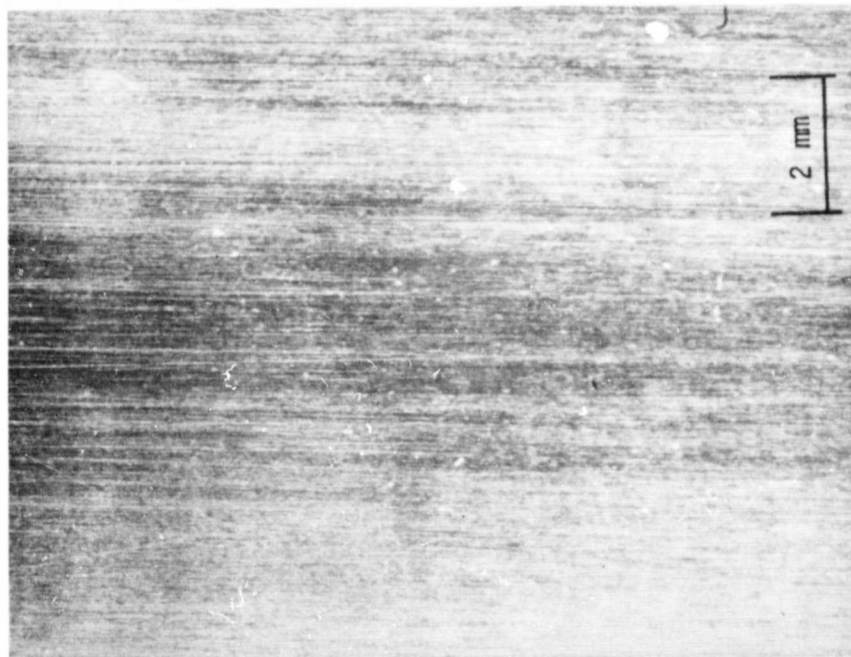
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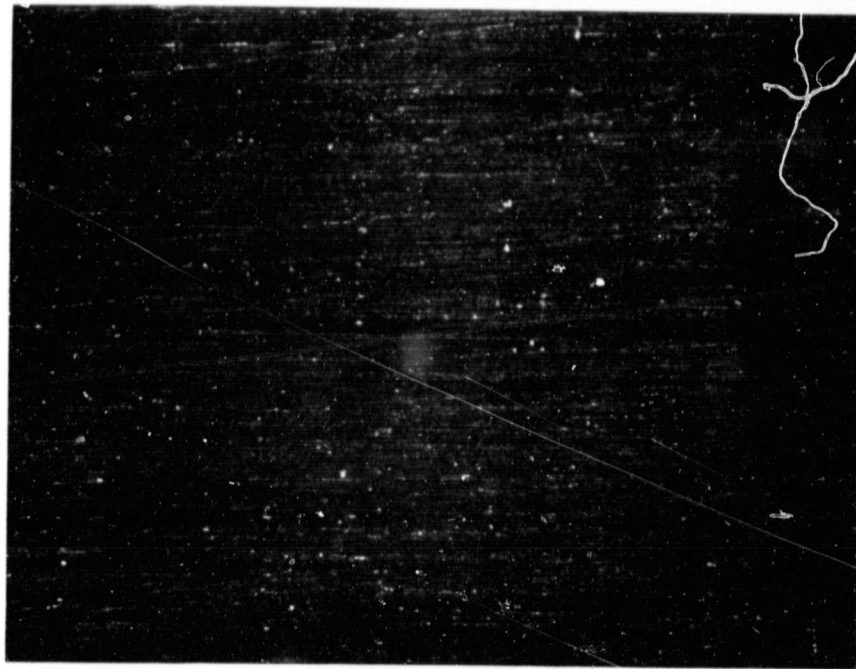
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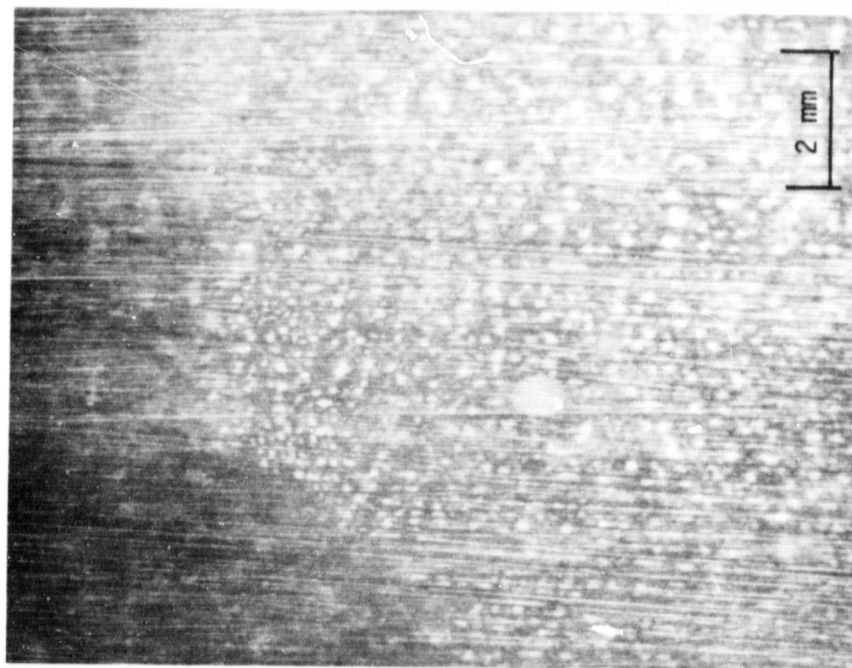
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Figure G-23 (Cont'd): Low Magnification Photographs of Surface Features, 39-Month Immersion ( $\sim 10\times$ )





v) 7574, Vapor



w) 7574, Liquid

Figure G-23 (Cont'd): Low Magnification Photographs of Surface Features, 39-Month Immersion ( $\sim 10\times$ )

TABLE G-I. PIT DEPTH FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION 39-MONTH IMMERSION COUPONS

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits in Various Depth Ranges ( $10^{-4}$ cm)									
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6	Group 7	Group 8	Group 9	Group 10
Range	0.01-0.64	0.65-1.28	1.29-1.92	1.93-2.56	2.57-3.20	3.21-3.84	3.85-4.48	4.49-5.12	5.13-5.76	5.77-6.40
Mean	(0.325)	(0.965)	(1.61)	(2.24)	(2.88)	(3.53)	(4.17)	(4.81)	(5.61)	(6.09)
7504-V	0	44.0	32.0	24.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7524-V	0	4.3	4.3	4.3	13.0	17.4	4.3	8.7	4.3	4.3
7556-V	5.9	52.9	23.5	11.8	0	5.9	0	0	0	0
7574-V	0	5.0	10.0	30.0	5.0	10.0	15.0	5.0	0	0
7504-L	0	19.4	22.6	38.7	9.7	9.7	0	0	0	0
7524-L	0	0	0	29.2	8.3	20.8	4.2	16.7	16.7	0
7556-L	0	85.3	7.1	7.1	0	0	0	0	0	0
7574-L	0	0	0	18.2	0	13.6	9.1	13.6	4.5	0

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits in Various Depth Ranges ( $10^{-4}$ cm)									
	Group 11	Group 12	Group 13	Group 14	Group 15	Group 16	Group 17	Group 18	Group 19	Group 20
Range	6.41-7.04	7.05-7.68	6.69-8.32	8.33-8.96	8.97-9.60	9.61-10.24	10.25-10.88	10.89-11.52	11.53-12.16	>12.16
Mean	(6.37)	(7.37)	(8.01)	(8.65)	(9.29)	(9.93)	(10.57)	(11.21)	(11.85)	
7504-V	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7524-V	8.7	0	4.3	8.7	0	8.7	0	0	0	4.3
7556-V	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7574-V	0	10	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	5
7504-L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7524-L	0	0	0	4.2	0	0	0	0	0	0
7556-L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7574-L	0	18.2	4.5	4.5	0	9.1	0	4.5	0	4.5

TABLE G-II. PIT AREA FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION: 39-MONTH IMMERSION COUPONS

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits in Various Area Ranges $10^{-7}$ cm (Average)										
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6	Group 7	Group 8	Group 9	Group 10	Group 11
Range	0.001-0.049	0.050-0.099	0.100-0.490	0.500-0.990	1.000-4.999	5.000-9.999	10.000-14.999	15.000-19.999	20.000-24.999	25.000-29.999	30.000-34.999
Mean	(0.025)	(0.0745)	(0.295)	(0.0745)	(3.000)	(7.500)	(12.000)	(17.500)	(22.500)	(27.500)	(32.500)
7504-V	0	0	8.0	8.0	35.0	8.0	12.0	8.0	6.7	8.0	4.0
7524-V	0	0	0	0	4.3	4.3	4.3	0	0	0	13.0
7556-V	0	0	0	0	17.6	17.6	5.9	11.8	11.8	5.9	11.8
7574-V	0	0	0	0	5.0	0	5.0	10.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
7504-L	0	0	9.7	9.7	22.6	22.6	3.2	6.5	0	0	3.2
7524-L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	4.2	8.3	8.3
7556-L	0	0	14.3	42.9	35.7	0	0	0	0	0	0
7574-L	0	0	0	9.1	0	0	4.5	0	0	4.5	4.5

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits in Various Area Ranges $10^{-7}$ cm (Average)										
	Group 12	Group 13	Group 14	Group 15	Group 16	Group 17	Group 18	Group 19	Group 20	Group 21	Group 22
Range	35.000-39.999	40.000-44.999	45.000-49.000	50.000-54.999	55.000-59.999	60.000-64.999	65.000-69.999	70.000-74.999	75.000-79.999	80.000-84.999	85.000-89.999
Mean	(37.500)	(42.500)	(47.500)	(52.500)	(57.500)	(62.500)	(67.500)	(72.500)	(77.500)	(82.500)	(87.500)
7504-V	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7524-V	8.7	0	0	13.0	9.1	22.0	17.0	0	0	0	0
7556-V	5.9	0	0	11.8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7574-V	5.0	0	0	10.0	10.0	5.0	0	0	0	0	0
7504-L	0	3.2	0	6.5	3.0	0	3.0	0	3.0	0	0
7524-L	8.3	4.2	0	25.0	8.3	4.2	0	4.2	4.2	4.2	0
7556-L	0	0	0	7.1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7574-L	4.5	0	0	13.6	13.6	0	0	9.1	4.5	4.5	4.5

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits in Various Area Ranges $10^{-7}$ cm (Average)										
	Group 23	Group 24	Group 25	Group 26	Group 27	Group 28	Group 29	Group 30	Group 31	Group 32	Group 33
Range	230.000-254.999	255.000-279.999	280.000-304.999	305.100-404.999	405.000-504.999	505.000-604.999	605.000-704.999	705.000-804.999	805.000-904.999	905.000-1004.999	>1005.000
Mean	(242.500)	(267.500)	(292.500)	(355.000)	(455.000)	(555.000)	(655.000)	(755.000)	(855.000)	(955.000)	
7504-V	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0
7524-V	0	0	4.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7556-V	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7574-V	0	0	10.0	4.0	4.0	0	4.0	0	4.0	0	4.0
7504-L	0	0	0	3.0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7524-L	8.3	4.2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7556-L	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
7574-L	0	0	9.1	9.1	4.5	4.5	0	0	0	0	0

TABLE G-III: PIT DEPTH/DIAMETER FREQUENCY DISTRIBUTION:  
39-MONTH IMMERSION COUPONS

Specimen No.	Percent of Pits with Various Diameter/Depth (1/d) Ratios							
	Group 1	Group 2	Group 3	Group 4	Group 5	Group 6	Group 7	Group 8
Ratio Range	0.01-0.20 (0.105)	0.21-0.41 (0.31)	0.42-0.62 (0.52)	0.63-0.83 (0.73)	0.84-1.04 (0.94)	1.05-1.25 (0.94)	1.26-2.00 (1.63)	>2.00
Mean								
7504-L	48.4	25.8	12.9	6.50	0	3.20	3.20	0
7504-V	52.0	40.0	4.0	4.0	0	0	0	0
7524-L	91.7	8.3	0	0	0	0	0	0
7524-V	61.0	30.4	4.3	4.3	0	0	0	0
7556-L	28.6	50.0	14.3	0	0	7.1	0	0
7556-V	88.2	11.8	0	0	0	0	0	0
7574-L	63.6	27.3	0	4.5	0	0	0	0
7574-V	90.0	10.0	0	0	0	0	0	0